

Established February,

Vol. XLV. No. 8409.

號十二月二十年九十八百八千一英

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1889.

日八十月一十年丑己

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH,

Intimations.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY ROM this day our Prices for the Undermentioned PATENT MEDICINES

and PROPRIETARY ARTICLES will be as follows, viz. :---Allcock's Corn Plaster Benger a Liquor Pancreations

Bishop's Citrate of Caffeine Bragg's Charcoal Powder Brand's Essence of Chicken' Brown's Bronchial Troches Bunter's Norvine Brilliantine - Truefitt's Burroughs, Wellcome & Co. s Dialysed

Ditto Hazeline . . Chlorodyna — Collis Browne's Cholagogue - 'Osgood's Indian' Clarke's Blood Mixture Cocklo's Pills. . . . Condy's Fluid Cutionen Soap (per Box) .

Perry Davis' Pain Killer . Dinneford's Fluid Magnesia Du Barry's Hevelenta . 75 cents & \$1.35 Elliman's Royal Embrocation Eno's Fruit Salt. . . Glover's Court Plaster. Goddard's Plate Powder Grillon's Tamar Indian

Grimault's Cigarottes Guyot's Tar Solution . Holloway's Pills. . 1/14 40 c., 2/9 80.90 Ointment, 1/15 40 c., 2/9 80,90 Jayne's Sanative Pills . . . Joy's Anti-Asthmatic Cigarettes Kay's Essence of Linseed . .

Coaguline .. Keating's Insect Powder King's Dandelion Pills Lactopeptino . '. . Lalor's Phosphodyne . Ointment Lamplough's Saline

Laville's Gout Drops . ·Pilla . Mellin's Food for Infants Morrison's Pills . Naldire's Dog Soap Neural ne . Norton's Camomile Pills . O. S. Tooth Blocks Pate Pectorale De Nafé d'Arabic . Pond's Extract . Powell's Balsam . Rigollot's Mustard Leaves

Dr. Rooke's Oriental Pills Rowland's Macassar Oil Russian Isinglass Saunder's Face Powder Savaresse's Santal Oil Capsules . Savory and Moore's Infant's Food . Scott's Liver Pills Seigel's Syrup

Steedman's Powders Soden Mineral Pastilles Truefitt's Brilliantine Euchrisma Vaseline, in 11b, time Warren's Essence of Rennet . Wilkinson's Sarsaparilla Winslow's Southing Syrup Wright's Coal Tar Spap , 1/6 Box Wyeth's Dialysed Iron Ridge's Food for Infants

Robinson's Patent Barley and Groats \$0.40 Calvert's Carbolic Soaps-Toilet Scap (per box) Medicial , per Tablet . . . Household Bars . . Pears Scented 1/. Oval Scap Tablets \$0.35 A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

Hongkong, 19th December, 1889. CREFN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that by the Articles of Association the THIRD INSTALMENT of \$15 (FIFTEEN Dollars) per Share (on shares not fully paid) is due on the 31st December, 1889. This Instalment will be received at the REGISTERED OFFICE of the above Company, No. 62, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on or before the above date. INTEREST at the Rate of 12 PER CENT. per A num will be charged on UNPAID INSTALMENTS. C. EWENS.

General Manager. Hongkong, December 18, 1889.

Banks. HUNGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$7,500,000

CORPORATION.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. W. G. BEODIE, Esq. | S. C. MICHAELSEN, T. E. DAVIES, Esq. Esq. Hon. J. J. KESWICE. J. S. Moses, Esq. .B. LAYTON, Esq. L. POESNECKER, Esq. Hon. A. P. McEWEN. | N. A. SIEBS, Esq.

E. A. SOLOMON, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong,G. E. Noble, Esq. MANAGER. Shanghai, JOHN WALTER, Hon: LONDON BANKERS .- London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate

of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits :--For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum.

tt 4 par cent. u

5 per cent. LOCAL RILLS DISCOUNTED. Ordits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the shiof Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan,

G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. Hongkong, November 19, 1889. 363 Business Notices.

Are now showing their New Stock of

CHRISTMAS AND NEW-YEAR PRESENTS.

HANDSOME CENTRE-PIECES, TABLE FLOWER SETS. Porcelain Menu Tablets Fancy China Tea Sets \$2 00 Tetê-a-Tetê Seta

Cabinet Albums

Handsome Lock-up Scent Frames New Opera Classes . 80.40 Osler's newest Flower Bowls & Specimen Glasses | Cut Crystal Perfume Bottles NEWEST FANCY LEATHER GOOD 3. Table Portrait Stands

Cigar Stands and Cabinett Nail Sets in Cases Tourist Writing Cases

Onyx and Fanny Inketands

Onyx Writing Sets CAN

Fitted Travelling Bags Card and Note Cases Newest Photograph Frames

Cigar and Cigarette Cases

\$0.95 Trinket Seta

Albums for painting in Despatch Boxes Music Holders Ladies Work Baskets and Boxes Glove and Handkerchief Cases Fancy Stationery Menn and Guest Cords Sciscors in Fancy Cases

HANDSOME FLOOR LAMPS THE LATEST DESIGNS IN FANCY LAMP & CANDLE SHADES.

MEERSCHAUM Cigar and Cigarette Holders and Smokers' Fancy Goods.

The "Manilas."

(THE FINEST MANILA CIGAR PROCURABLE, IN SPLENDID CONDITION.) A CHOICE COLLECTION OF OIL & WATER COLOUR PAINTINGS & ENGRAVINGS. Table and Floor Easels New Painted Panels New Painted Photographs on Opal

THE LATEST PUZZLES.

Children's Tons.

Newest Meck nigal Toys.

COMBINATION DINING AND BILLIARD TABLE

IN-DOOR CAMES FOR YOUNG AND OLD. "TROCO" OR LAWN BILLIARDS.

Holly Berries

80.90 Fancy Boxes for X'mas, Trees 80.60 | Coloured Wax Candles \$0 40 Tree Candle Holders \$1.50 Confectionery Boxes 80.40 | Holly and Mistleton Wreaths

Flags and Banners :-

Flags and Banners:-

-COSAQUES-

Tom Smirns' and Woods' newest Crackers, containing :- Head-dresses, Jewellry, Toye, Mottoes, Luggage, Poetry Sweets, Dresses, Fountains, Games, and all the latest fun.

BOOKS.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF HANDSOMELY BOUND VOLUMES, SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS CHURCH SERVICES, PRAYER BOOKS, HYMN BOOKS, BIBLES AND TESTAMENTS. -ALSO-

CHILDREN'S BOOKS, THE LATEST NOVELS, MAGAZINES AND ANNUALS. CHRISTMAS & MEW-THAR CARDS.

NEW MUSIC.

All the Newest Songs, Duets and Part Songs,

All the Latest Dance Music, All the Modern Drawing Room Solos and Duets, Classical Music.

VOLUMES: - Volumes of Songs, Volumes of Piano Solos, Volumes of Danco Music, and Volumes of Classical Music. OPERAS :- Vocal Scores, Piano Scores, Violin Scores.

ELECTRO-PLATED NICKEL SILVER WARE. -A GREAT VARIETY OF NEW PATTERNS-AND EVERY DESCRIPTION OF TABLE PLATE.

-ALSO-A GOOD SELECTION OF ARTICLES, IN SATIN-LINED MOROCCO CASES, SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS. Christmas Delicaies.

-NEW SEASON'S PUDDING FRUITS IN BULK-

SOUPS :- Real Turtle, Mulligatawny, Ox-tail, Clam Chowder, Sonp and Bulli, Hotch Potch, &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., FISH:-Sardines in Oil, Citron, Tountoes and Butter, Whitehait, Trout, Anchovies, Oysters, Tamariad Fish, Macaesar Red Fish, Harengs and Maquereaux on vin Blane, Pilchards, Salmon Cutlets, Salmon Kippers, Findon Haddocks, Digby Chicks; Scotch PATENT PRESERVED LAX. CAME AND PATTIES :- Boar's Head, Wild Duck, Pats de Foie Gras, assorted Came and English Patties, Rabbit and Onions, French

Pales, Grouse, Truffled Chicken in Jelly. TONGUES: -Smoked, Collared, Picnic, Lunch, Spiced, Paysandu, Pig's, Russian Ox &c.

SUNDRIES:—Apple Sance, Brawn, Essence, Pig's Feet, Sage-and-Onion Stuffing, Tripe, Polted Meats, Candied Pecls, Currants, Raisins, Spices, Minced Collops, Chrises, Chutuies, French and English Vegetables, Black Leicestershire Mushrooms, assorted Pickles, Tabasco Sauce, Flavoured Jellies, Salad Cream, French Vinegar, French Mustard, Stuffed Olives, Wiltshire Bacon, Orango and Rose Flower Water, Persian Sherbet, Spiced Bacon, Beef Tea Jelly, Essence of Chicken, Celery in Juice, Mushrooms in Butter, Cookscombs, &c., &c. DESSERT FRUITS :- Fruit in Syrup, Noycau and Brandy; Crystallized Fruits, French Plums, Jordan Almonds, Grange, Lemon and Vanilla Creams, Cutting's Dessert Fruits, assorted Tart Fruits, Normandy Pippins, Whole Pincs.

METZ FRUITS NEW SEASON'S MUSCATELS, SHYRNA FIGS APPLES, ELVAS PLUMS, PRUNES. Deputy Chairman—H. L. Dalkymple, Eaq. WHES & — MENGUNDS IN SHEEE 3 BRAKEE, & BEKEELOWAR PLUM PUDDINGS AND MINCEMEAT.

> THRISTMAS PLUM CARES, SEED CARES. WILTSHIRE-CURED STREIKY BACON AND BITH CHAPS. CHEESE.

CORCONZOLA, GLOSTER, ALBERT, ROQUEFORT, CREAM & STILTON. "CHRISTMAS" AND ASSORTED

> WAFERS, SHORT-BREAD. FRENOII AND EXOLISH

ECTIONERY

FANCY BONBON BOXES.

CHOCOLATE AND CHOCOLATE CREAMS. WINES, SPIRITS, LIQUEURS, BEERS &c.

Our usual assortment of first class brands, AYALA & CO'S. EXTRA DRY CHAMPAGNE. LANE, URAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, December, 1880,

Business Notices.

Mirrors, Brackets and Overmantels. Glove & Haudkerchief Sets, Cabinets of Morocco Deapatch Casua. Inlaid Walnut & Mthogany Writing Desks, Tourist Cases, Stationery Cases, Blotting Orunnental Calendars, Momo. Tableis, String Books, Pencil Cases, Ivory and Pearl Library and Drawing Room Inkstands, Chear Cabinets, Cigar & Cigarette Cases, Pipe Racks, Smoking Caps, Silver Mounted Briar Pipes with Ambor Mouth Pieces. Safety Inkstands, Gonge, Call Bells. Photo Albums, Photo Screens, Photo Frames.

Photo Scrap Albums, Postage Stamp Albums. Ladius' and Gontlemon's Fitted Dressing Bags and Dressing Cases. Ladies' Companious, Hand Bags, Scissors Cases, Housewifes Jewel Cases & Caskets, Perfuine Stands, Trinket Boxes. Carriage Cases, Card Cases, Letter Cases, Purses and Pocket Books.

Hongkong, September 14, 1859.

Books of Devotion and Portuguese Mass Books in a variety of rich bindings. SPECIAL. We shall receive by the Iraniaddy just in time for Christmas, a small but very choice consignment of New and Fashionable Jewelery from the well-known Court Jeweller.

phabet Blocks.

Penholders, Gold Pons, Paper Knives.

Dressed Dolls, Boxes of Stone Bricks, Al

All the Season's Annual Volumes, Children's

Bibles, Prayer Books, Hymn Books, Catholic

Christmas Books and Toy Books.

J. W. BENSON-LUDGATE HILL. Comprising Diamond and Pearl Cluster Earrings, Diamond & Pearl Stude & Pins, Bracelets, Nocklots, Pendants, Dismond & Sapphire, Pearl & Ruby Rings, Brooches in new designs, and a few of Benson's Celebrated Gold & Silver Watches & Chronographs, Hongkong, December 16, 1889.

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

JUST OPENED GOODS.

A LARGE AND CHOICE SELECTION OF COATINGS FOR MORNING AND EVENING DRESS. A very Stylish Lot of TWEEDS, New in Design and Material, and a varied Assortment of TROUSERING in all the Newest Patterns. QUEEN'S ROAD (opposite Hongrond Hotel),

Victoria Motel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

FIGHIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes, walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &co, has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horas in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious,

large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD SUNDAY, the 22ud Instant. and SMOKERO ROOMS.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken. Mossrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE.

Proprietors. Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

POWELL

PRESENTS

TOYS.

W. POWELL & Co.

VIOTORIA EXCHANGE, December 14, 1880.

Intimations.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB. ' PICK UP' will be commenced at 11 adm., on SATURDAY, the Bist Danames, either on the List lying on the

table in the Club Anto-room or the one in the Cricket Pavilion, on or before 5 p.m., on Friday, the 20th Instant. ARTHUR K. TRAVERS, Hon. Sec. H. K. C.C.

Hongkong, December 10, 1880.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE KWOON KWAN YEEN CUPS .-Value \$200 and \$100 respectively. Also TWO CONSOLATION CUPS, value-

BIGO each. The 2ND STAGE of the FIFTH COMPETI-TION will be shot off NEXT SATURD IY, 21st December, at 2.15 p.m., commencing at 900 Yards. Entranc : Fee, 30 Cents. A Launch will leave P. & O. Whark-for the Range at 1.45 p.m., and will take over

any Competitors. A. SHELTON HOOPER, Hon. Secretary. Hougkong, December 19, 1889.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Transfer BOOKS of the above CLOSED from the

2nd Instant to the 1st day of January,

1890, both days inclusive. F. W. CROSS. Hongkon, December 2, 1889.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, being ORRISTMAS DAY, and on WED. NESDAY, the 1st January, 1890, being NEW YEAR'S DAY, this Office and the Opium Examination Hulk will be closed to the transaction of all Business ; but work at the Customs Stations will proceed as F. A. MORGAN,

Commissioner of Customs. for Kowloon and District. Custon House. Kowloon, 18th December, 1850.

Shipping.

Steamers.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co. 's Steamship Oriental mill leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the next butward English Mailz.

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, December 10, 1880.

E. L. WOODIN,

Shipping.

Steamers.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Cu.'s Steamship Chingbu,

HUNT, Commander, will INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION
of despatched as above COMPANY LIMITED on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Inst, at 4 p.m. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are aituated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are borthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, A yerels.

Hongkong, December 18, 1889. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON, HAMBURG AND

ANTWERP. The Steamship Pembrokeshi e. Captain Lineaster, will be despatched on or about the 25th Instant.

This Steamer has superior Passenger. Accommudation. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,-Agents. Hongkong, December 13, 1889. 2961 STEAM TO LONDON (DIRECT), Calling at INTERMEDIATE PORTS.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steumship
Hongkong,
Capt. W. J. B. WATKINS, will leave for the above places on or abont 26th Instant. This Vessel is disconnected from the Mail Services, but has excellent accommodation for through Passengers (First Saloon only) at reduced rates. Electric Light, Deck Cabins. Sur-

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hougkong, December 18, 1880. 2299 MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

goon carried, &c.

FOR NEW YORK. The Steamship Pathen. Captain Roy, will I despatched for the abo Port on or about the 26th Instant, -For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, DELL & Co., Repghong, December 13, 1889.

Shipping.

Steamers.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA. VIA NAGA-BAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship . will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant,

at Daylight. F. L. WOODIN, & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, December 18, 1889.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Gaien, will be despatched as above on Aulenor. SATURDAY, the 21st Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. A zonis. Hongkong, December 18, 1880. 2391 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Stoamship

Hailoony, Capt. Gondand, will be Capt. Gondand, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 22nd Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, December 18, 1889. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Co.'s Steamship Iranuady.

MARITIMES.

will be despatched for the above Ports on or about G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, December 18, 1889.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL

and BREMEN.) The Steamwhip Capt. E. CHRISTIANSEN, will be despatched for the

above Ports on MONDAY, the 23rd Inst., at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co.. Hongkong, December 14, 1819. 2970

STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Capt. Chews, will leave for the above places on or about MON-DAY, the 23rd Instant, at Noon,

E. L. WOODIN. Saperintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, Decomber 10, 1889.

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Co.'s Chartered Steamship Moray, Will be Cuptain Dunuan, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 23rd Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, December 18, 1889. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managere.

CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE. The Co.'s Steamship The Co.'s Steamship
Telamon,
Captain Jackson, will
bu despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Instant.

For Freight or Passago, apply to

BUTTERFILLD & SWIRE, Hongkong, December 17, 1889. 2381 GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FOR LONDON FIA SUEZ CANAL. Captain Duke, will be despatched as above on The Steamship or about the 27th Instant. This Steamer has superior Accommoda-

tion for Passongers, and carries a Doctor, and Stewardess. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkonz, Decomber 19, 1869.

Sailing Yessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L 1.1. American Ship B. P. Cheney,
Bupunera, Blaster, will load
here for the above Port, and
will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 17, 1819

excluded). Post untries.

2. Fon HRAVY Gras; open to European

Non-Commissioned officers and men of

any Regiment, or Corps of the Garrison,

or to European members of the Police

Force; the boats to be approved by the

Conmittee; distance, one mile; time al-

lowed for oars, 8 seconds per oar; four

boats must start for two prizes; entrance,

\$1; first prize, \$15; second prize, \$5; (the winner of race No. 2 first day to be

LOCATION: DED CENTRAL MARKET.

OPEN TWICE DAILY. FOURTH WEEK AND STILL MORE NOVELTIES. TONIGHT!

First Time in Hongkong of THE LIVERPOOL STEEPLECHASE, introducing all the exciting Scenes of a Race-cor rac. SONGS, DANCES, &c.,

GREAT JUMPING HORSES. REDUCED PRICES

REDUCED PRICES Boxes of 6 Chairs \$9.00 Single Seats in Boxes 1.50 Dress Circle Chairs 1.00

Stalls, Carpeted Seats... ... 0.50
Soldiers and Sailors in uniform—to Pit 25 Boxes and Seats can be reserved at KELLY WALSH, LIMITED. ROBERT LOVE,

General Agent. Hongkong, December 20, 1889.

Auctions.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

PUBLIC AUCTION

FANCY GOODS, Erc., Erc.

FITHE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY.

the 21st December, 1889, commencing at 2.30 p.m. sharp, at his Sales Rooms, Dud-

dell Street,-A LARGE SELECTION CF FANCY GOODS,

auitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. comprising :-

WORK BOXES, NEURESARIES, FANCY GLASS-WARE, GERT'S POCKET-BOOKS, CIGAR CASES, the year ended 30th November, 1889. Cidan Holders, Meerschum Pipes, AL-BUMS. POKER SETS. PICTURE - ALBUMS, BONBON BOXES, CHRISTMAS CAMPS in PAC-KETS, LEATHER GOODS, PLUSH GOODS, TOYS.

A VARIETY OF OTHER FANCY GOODS. Too numerous to mention. The above will be on view on Friday

TERMS OF SALE. - Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 14, 1889. PUBLIC AUCTION

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the MORTGAGEE to Sell by Public Auction; on

FRIDAY,

the 27th December, 1889, at 3 o'Clock the Afternoon, on the Premises,-ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL

OF GROUND, Situate at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and registered in the LAND OFFICE as MARINE LOT No. 59, with the MES-SUAGES and BUILDINGS thereon, known as No. 120, PRAYA CENTRAL, and No. 48. WING LOK STREET.

For Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to Messrs. RWENS & REECE Solicitors, No. 62, Queen's Road ; or to J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioncer.

Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, December 18, 1889.

Intimations.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB, RACE MEETING, 1893. HONGKONG DERBY.

CI WEEPSTAKES of \$20 each, half forfeit if declared on or before day of closing. Entries, with \$100 added for 1st Pony, and \$50 for 2nd. For all China Ponies bone fide Griffins at date of Entry, (SATURDAY, 25th January, 1890). First Piny 70 per cent.; Second, 20 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent.: Weight 10st, 10lbs. One-mile-anda-half. NOMINATIONS CLOSE to the OF THE COURSE at the Club of SATURDAY, the 28th December, 1889. E. H. GORE BOOTH,

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, December 12, 1889. ERNST CARL LUDWIG REUTER,

Deceased. ATOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the Provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1879; Section 3, an Order has been made by the Honourable Figure CLARKE, Acting Chief Justice of Hongkong, limiting the time for Creditors and others to send in their CLAIMS against the above Estate to the 6th day of March, 1890, on or before which date all Claims must be proved.

Estate are requested to make immediate Counts. Payments. Dated this 9th day of December, 1889. WOTTON & DEACON.

All Persons INDEBTED to the said

. Solicitors, 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

INSURANCE OFFICE. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with Approval of the Consulting Committee, will on the 1st January, 1890. ISSUED INTEREST WARRANTS of 85 at present let on Lease for one year. per Share, Payable at the Hoxokong and SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION the Barne being at the Rate of 10 Per Cent. per Annum on the Paid up Capital of the Office for the year 1889, and Notice is hereby given that in order that the same may be adjusted the Transfer BOOKS of the Office

Instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. UANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LAMPTED. Hongkong, December 17, 1889. 2379

will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st

Business Notices.

THE HALL & HOLTZ Co-op. Co., Limited.

1889—CHRISTMAS—1889.

MAS PRESENTS in Great Variety 'AMUSING,' 'USEFUL,' 'ORNAMENTA' MAS TOYS.

WAS BOOKS.

Bonbons for xmas

OWEETS FOR XMAS. TARUITS FOR XMAS.

TIMES FOR XMAS.

To-day's Advertisements.

T ADY SALMON has kindly consented

to PRESENT the PRIZES won at this

REGATTA. The DISTRIBUTION will take

place TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), at 5 p.m.,

G. C. C. MASTER,

Hon. Secretary.

LODGE.

in the GYMNASIUM of the V. R. C.

ZETLAND

Hongkong, December 20, 1889.

No. 525.

A' LODGE will be held in the FREE-

MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on ERI

DAY, the 27th Instant, at 8 for 8.50

p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are

STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY.

MORROW, the 21st Instant, at 3 p.m.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND

HAMBURG.

(Taking Car to at through rates to

NTWERP, AMSTERDAM ROTTER-

DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL

The Stewnship

Cussandra.

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Agents.

and BREMEN.)

above Ports on SATURDAY, the 28th Inst.,

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, December 20, 12: 0.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA,

CHEMISTS.

XMAS SEASON.

TT7 E beg to invite attention to our STOCK

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

GIFTS.

Liqueur Stands.

CONFECTIONERY.

ENGLISH, AMERICAN AND FRENCH.

BON BONS AND CRACKERS.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

All well matured and of Finest quality.

MANILA CIGARS AND CHEROOTS:

Manufactured expressly for us by

La Constancia Factory.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, Ltd.,

LONDON-HONGKONG AMOY.

Hongkong, December 10, 1889. 2374

ARRIVALE, A COMMITTEE

BHIPPING.

December 20, 1889 :-

Clara, German stonmer, 671, C. Christen.

Caslin, Manila December 17. General .-

Fushun, Chinese steamer, 1,004, A.

Haitan, British str., 1,183, 8. Ashlon,

Freuesen, German ateamer, 2,879, O.

Forchow December 17, Amoy 18, and Swa-

tow 19, General, DOUGLAS STRAMERIP Co.

Oroad, Shanghai December 17, General.-

Petroleum.-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Telephone No. 60.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

sine. - O. M. S. N. Co.

O. M. S. N. Cu

sen & Co.

RUSSELL & Co.

Smoker's Cabinets.

VV of ARTICLES suitable for-

LIMITED, ...

at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, December 20, 1889.

The Steamship

Nanzing.

Hongkong, December 20, 1889.

Regular MEETING of the above

TMAS CARDS

BEST VALUE, GREATEST VARIETY, IN HONGKONG.

CHAMPAGNES, WINES, SPIRITS, LIQUEURS, &c.

Hougkong, December 18, 1889.

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Fifth Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the HONGKONG Hotel on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, LADY'S BAGS, CARD CASES, WHITING CASES, at 11 o'clock in the Forencon, for the pur-FANS, SILE FANHOLDERS, SCENT CASES, pose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, and Statement of Accounts for The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from the 9th to 21st

Instant, both days inclusive. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers.

2305 cordially invited. Hongkong, December 6, 1880. THE HONGKONG BRICK & CEMEN

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Third Ordinary General MEETING L of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's OFFICES, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, on SATURDAY, the 28th Inst., at 12 o'Clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts

for the year ended 31st October, 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 24th Instant, both days inclusive.

W. H. WALKER,

Hongkong, December 14, 1889. THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Third Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's OFFICE, No. 5, Stanley Street, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 30th day of December, 1889; at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the R port of the 30th November last.

Directors and Statement of Account to the The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to 30th

Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

E. W. MAITLAND, Secretary. Hongkong, December 13, 1889.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA Toilet Fittings in Crystal and Silver. SAMANTAN MINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Fourth Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's OFFICE, No. 9, Queen's Road, on MON-DAY, the 30th Instant, at 4 p.m., for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Account to 31st March, 18 9, and for the election of Directors and Auditors.

A. O'D. GOURDIN, Secretary:

Hongkong, December 16, 1889.

For Salo.

TO BE SOLD OR LET. LA HACIENDA'-AT THE PEAK,

R.B.L. No. 21. Large and Commodious RESIDENCE

with sufficient LAND for 3 or 4 TENNIS If required it is easily convertible into Two Separate Dwellings. For full Particulars, apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. VICTORIA BUILDINGS. Hougkoug, December 19, 1859. 2394

FOR SALE.

AT THE PEAK.

THE FALLS' on R. B. L. No. 28 .-A Well-built Six-Roomed HOUSE, Melchens & Co.

For full Particulars, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LAD. Hongkong, Novomber 12, 1889.

BALL PROGRAMMES FOR SALE. the eighth of the court will be

'CHINA MATL' OFFICE, 2, WYRDHAN STREET.

Pohlo Shanghai December 19, Mails and General.—Met. HERS & Co. Osaka. British barque, 517, T. Jones, Albany November 16, Sandalwood. - ORDER. Independent, Gerinon stemmer, 8 1, W. J. Schafer, Swatow D. cember 19, General. -GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Yangtere, German stenmer, from Wham-Vipére, French yunboat, from a cruiso.

December 20 :-Mosmouthshire, for Singapore and London. Marie, for Haiphong. Carmen, for Manila. Freir, for Hothow and Pakhoi.

DEPARTURES.

CLEARED. Nanzing, for Amov. Columbus, for London. Mongkut, for Bangkok. Asagao, for Nagasaki.

Kwang Lee, for Shanghai.

Doris, for Swatow.

Alwine, for Hoihow and Pakhoi. Parsengers.

ARRIVED. Por Clara, from Haiphong, 13 Chinese. Per Zafiro, from Manila, Mr Vogel, 2 Europeans, and 120 Chinese. Per General Worder, from Yokohama, Mrs Sanford and servant, Mossra F. Fayar: do, H. K. Gordon, Col. and Mrs Williams, Miss Duncan, Miss Kidstone, Mr and Mrs Kirkland, Messrs T. Williams, Daukong, Soltmann, W. Kunberger, Urban, Oberatlientenant Ilgner, Lientenant von Transche, 4 Indians, and 20 Chinese. Por Fushin, from Shanghai, Captain

Robert Andrew, Mr George Fenwick, Mr Farrell, Dr. Macgowan, Mrs Crowlie and 3 children, Mrs Croad and 2 children, and 209 Chinese. Per Haitan, from Coast Ports, 239 Chi-

Per Freussen, from Shanghai, Messrs Robertson, Hill. Moss. Dr. Winn, and Mrs Winn, Dr. Kimball; Mr Petersen, Mesars Bornemann, Messre Laidrich, Camera, A. Hoffmanu, and II Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Monmouthshire, for Singapore, 4 Eu-Per Marie, for Haiphong, 2 Europeans, and 25 Chinese.

Per Freir, for Hoihow, 60 Chinese, Per Sin Nonzing, for Manila, Mr Manuel Perez, and 28 thouse. Per Doris, for Swat w, 300 Chinese. Per Kunning / ec., for Shanghai, 1 Euroeau, and 80 hinese.

Per Monghat, for Bangkok, 5 Europe Ps. and 10 chinese. Per living, for Holhow, 40 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Zaftro reports First part light Northerly wind, with heav swell from the same quarter; latter part strong monsoon, with high seas and cloudy weather. Captain Thomson, will be despatched as above TO-

The Chinese steamer Fushin reports Had fine weather throughout, and fresh N E. winds from Tung-ying to port The British steamer Hailan reports : Left Foochow 17th December, had moderate N.E. breeze, and fine weather but overcast. Left Amoy 18th, had light Northerly and North-Easterly breeze and fine weather, but overcast with rain at times. Left Swatow 19th, had strong N.E. wind, with overcast to hazy weather, with moderate sea.

Steamer in Amoy, Don Juan. The German steamer Preussen reports : Left Woosung December 18th, 7.15 a.m., and reached Kowloon Pier December 20th, LITHIA WATER p.m. We experienced during the passage fine weather, with strong N.E. monacon, and heavy sea, Captain THOMSEN, will be despatched for the

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:

For NAGASAKI -Per Asagao, at 9 s.m., on Saturday, the 21st inst. For HOIHOW & BANGKOK .-

Per Independent, at 9.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 21st inst. For AMOY & MANILA .-Per Nanzing, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday,

the 21st inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL-1 ir Hailoons, at 5 p.m., on Saturday,

the 21st inst. For SWATOW .-Per Alse, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the

21at inst. For SINGAPORE, JAVA, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.-Per tatter hun, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 21st inst.

For SINGAPORE. Per Aglaia, at 9.30 p.m., on Monday, &c., &c., &c. the 23rd inst. For STRAITS & BOMBAY .--

Per Khivi, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, the 23rd inst., instead of as previously notified. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-

Per Moroy, at 2.30 p.m., on Monday, the 23rd inst. For SINGAPORE .-Per Cassandra, at 1.30 p.m., on Satur-

day, the 28th inst. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET .-The German Contract Packet Preussen

will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Caylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta,

Registry ceases at 4 P.M. The Mail closes at 5 P.M. A Supplement. pry Mail will to closed on Sunday. the 22nd Inst , at 9 A.M.

General Memoranda. sen, Raiphong December 17, General - Honday, December 23 :-

Goods por Sikk undelivered after this date subject to rent. Zafiro, British steamer, 675, A. A. Me-WEDNESDAY, (Christman Day) Dec. 25 :-Goods per Moray undelivered after this date subject to reut. State of Maine, American ship, 1,467. THURSDAY, December 26 :-

Nickels, New York August 14, Refined 9 p.m. Grand Christmas Pantomime. FRIDAY, December 2: :-3 p.m. -Auction of Ground with Mes-General Werder, German steamer, 1,820, suages and Buildings. M. Eichel, Yokohama December 11, via Kobe and Nagasaki Mails and General .- 8.30 p.m. - Meting of Zetland Lodge. SATURDAY, December 28 :-

Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Yehsin; Chinese steamer, 773, Blethen, H.K. Brick & Cement Co., Ltd., at Shanghai December 16, 2,400 cases Kerothe Office of the Company. Chathrine, Danish brig, 250, Hansen, Manado December 5, Blackwood. - Siens 5 p.m. - Grand Christmax Pantomime.

MONDAY, December 30:-

Ltd. closes. 3 p.m - Meeting of Shareholders of Dairy Farm Co., Ltd., at No. o, Stanley 4 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co., Ltd., at No. 9, Queen's Rd.

Shipping. Daylight. - Verma leaves for Japan. 3 p.m. - Nanzing leaves for Manila, &c. Antenor leaves for London.

Meeting. 11 a.m. - Mosting of the Hongkong High-Level Tramwaya Co., Ltd., in the Hongkong Hotel.

Auctions. 2.30 p.m. -Austion of Fancy Goods, &c., at Mr G. R. Lammert's.

Amusements. 3 p.m. - Wo dyear's Royal Australian Circus at Old Central Market. 9 p.m.-Woodyear's Royal Australian Circus at Old Central Market.

Miscellaneous. 2.15 p.m.-Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association.



BY APPOINTMENT.

A. S. WATSON & COM-PANY, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

MANUFACTURERS OF ASRATED WATERS.

OUR AERATED WATER MANUFACTORY s replete with the best Machinery, om-

the trade. added a Condensor capable of supplying us | Woodin. Esq.

For Coast Ports, Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkoug surer. prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties when received in good order.

Counterfoil Order Books supplied on application. COAST PORT ORDERS. whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order.

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is, 'DISPENSARY, HONGKONG And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention. The following is a List of Waters always kept ready in Stock :--.

PURE AERATED WATER SODA WATER LEMUNADE POTASH WATER SARSAPARILLA WATER

TONIC WATER

CINGER ALE

GINGERADE. No Credit given for bottles that are dirty, or greasy, or that appear to have been used for any other purpose than that of containing Assisted Waters, as such bottles are never used again by

HONGKONG DISPENSARY. The publication of this issue commenced at 9.25 p.m.

The China Atlail.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1889.

TELEGRAMS.

(Pia Southern Line.) [SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL!]

GENERAL CAMERON. LONDON, 17th December. Lieut. General W. G. Cameron, late in command of the Troops in Hongkong, replaces General Sir L. Smyth a the Cape.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Lennox, Oct. 15; Glenmerven Nov. 22; Cambodia, 26; Bay rn, Diomed. Frigga, Glenly n Dec. 3; Vanfa, Humber, 6; Bellerophon, Benyloe, Breconshire, Glenengles, Caledo-

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Benlarig, Gaw Quan Sia, Nov. 26; Cardiganshire, Glengyle, 29; Anton, Dec 3.; Oxus, Stentor, Bellong, 6; Sarpedon, 10.

The M. M. steamer Iraniaddy, with the Freuch mail of Nov. 16th, left Saigon at 10 a.m. on the 18th Dec., and may be expected here on or about Saturplies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Oct. 9.

Tho a B. Oriental, with the English Mail of Nov. 22nd. left Singapore on Wednesday, the 18th inst., at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Tucaday, the 24 h inst. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from M. Friedericks, 9at. Hongkong on October 16th. The Canadian Pacific s. s. Batavia left Vancouver for Japan, &c., on the 29th

The Canadian Pacific Co.'s s. s. Abyesini : left Vancouver for Japan and Hongkong on 14th inst.

Liverpool, left Singapore on the 12th on or about the 20th inst. Share List of the Hougkong Trading Co., The Union Line a. s. Euph ates, from Lon- Metcalfe spurted, but did not make suffidon, left Singapore on the 12th inst. cient headway to catch up the young 'an,

and may be expected here on or about | who won by a good length and a half. the 20th inst The D. D. R. s. s. Electra left Singapore and was a longth ahead of Metcalfe when No. 2. R. Hyde. on the 15th inst., at 1 p.m., and may be the gun fired. Time, 8m. 53s. expected here on or about the 22ud | Jambo 1

MEMOS, FOR TO-MORROW. The & Benalder left Singapore on 16th ibit., and may be expected here on or about 23rd inst. The O. S. S. Coy, a steamer Telamon, from Liverpool, left Singapore for this port on 16th inst., and is due here on or

about the 23rd inst. The s. s. Jopan, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 18th inst., and may, be expected here on or about the 26th The N. G. I. a. s. Bormida, from Bombay

left singapors on the 20th inst., and may be expected here on or about 28th iunt. The P. & U. Co.'s extra steamer Teheran left Bombay for Singapore and this port on the 14th inst., at 2 p'm.

don for this port on the 28th Nov. THERE will be a game of Pole on Saturday, the 21st instant, at 3.30 at the Race Course.

The P. & O. extra a. a. Shunghai left Lon-

Messas Adamson, Bell & Co. inform us that the Silk ex Abyssinia was delivered in New York on the 17th inst,

MESSES Carlowitz & Co. inform us that the N. G. I. s.v. Bormida, from Bombay, left Singapore for this port to-day.

VICTORIA REGATTA.

THIRTY-FOURTH MEETING. SECOND DAY. Friday, I ecember 2: th, 1889.

President: - His Excellency Sir G. William Dos-Voonx, R. C. M. G. St words :- His I xcellency Vice-Admiral Sir Nowell Salmen, v.c., R.c.B.; His Excellency Major General Bevan-Edwards, c.B., E.E.; E.R. Belilios, Esq ; Honourable C. P. Chater; Lieut. Col. Vernon Chater, A. & S. Highlanders Mr Justice Clarke : G. Coates, Esq. H.LM.'s Consul for Ger- Bow, E. B. Shepherd . . 10st. bibs. many: Commodore Church, R.N. : Honourable W. M. Deane; Commander Festing, No. 3, G Bramwell . . . 12st. 2ibs. R.N.; W. H. Forbes, Esq.; J. J. Francis, Stroke, G. C. C. Master . . 10st. 5lbs. Esq., Q.C.; D Gillies, Esq.; Honourable J. Keswick, B. Layton, Esq. ; Captain May, R. N. ; Honourable A. P. MacEwen, St. C. Michaelsen, Faq. ; H. N. Mody,

with 3.0 s gallons of distilled water a day, Committee :- J. F. Holliday, Esq., Chair- a little uncertain, and before the course and are now in a position to compete in man; Lieut. G. A. Bramwell, Northamp- was half rowed this was seen to be likely to quality with the best English Makers. Our tonshire Regiment; Captain Davidson, affect the race seriously. The boats main-Sweet Waters cannot be surpassed any. A. & S. Highlanders ; E. Friedrichs, Esq. ; toined their rotative p sitions till three-F. Koch, Esq. ; J. M. Laing, Esq. ; F. H. fou the of the course was covered. At that The purest ingredients only are used, Shepherd, Esq.; A. G. Stephen, Esq.; time the German Mail steamer, going to and the atmost care and cleanliness are C. H. Thompson, Faq ; A. Turner, Esq. ; the wharf, was standing right across the Godfrey C. C Master, Rag., Hon. Sa- course and I oked likely to be an awkward cretary; R. T. Wright, Esq., Hon. Trea- obstacle, especially for the Scotch boat, which Judges of the Rowing Races: - Lient, -

> E. L. Woodin, Esq.; Yachts, G. C. Ander- the object of making a sport for the finish. son, Esq. ; Open Sailing Boats, E. Burnie, The English crew were still going strong Judge of the Sailing Races :- Commander

Clerk of the Course and Time Keeper !-E. H. Gore-Booth, Esq The weather to-day was somewhat less favourable than yesterday, being duller and colder. The wind was stronger and the water rougher. There was a delay of shout fifteen minutes in starting, which German steamer, and the distance to the the programme, but punctuality is a rare boat any chance of making up its lost virtue, and some of the Regatta efficials SELTZER WATER don't seem to have cultivated it to any the English, who from first to last rowed great extent. There were not many people beautifully, won by 21 lengths. Time, 10m. to see the Junior Sculls, but before the 32s. time arrived for the International, the most interesting race of the day, there was a fair

turnout of speciators. The Junior Sculls was a rather interesting race, in which Fredericks had a very oreditable win. The race for heavy gigs was one of the best rawed events of the meeting, the three brats sticking close to each other all the way and finishing in fine

For the International the Scotch boat was made a hot favourite and heavy odds were haid on it. The form showed by Capt. Davidson (stroke) yesterday increasing the tatth in the boat's success, while the other members of the crew had also given proof Buw. English erew rowing in a boat named the Thistle led to some misconception among spectators who were not 'wall up' in the arrangements and may have led some to put money on it under the impression that it was the Scotch boat, in which case the mistake would be a lucky one. The result of the race was of course a great surprise

After the International, the interest in | well spurted and won ensily by about three the events il gged a good deal, although longths; Manda good third. Time 8m. 46s. there were some very good exhibitions of rowing, one of the best of which was the

regimental boat's performance in the Garrison Cup race. We were glad to see that an attempt was made to-day to keep the steam lauuches in order, a police launch under the charge of Inspector Corcoran patrolling the course and keeping it clear, so that the competing boats were not disturbed. For the sailing mices the weather was not

opite so favourable as gratorday.

trauce fee, 80.

winners at five o'clock to-morrow afternoon, by Lady Solmon, in the Gymnasium of the day, 21st Dec. This packet brings re- 1.-Juston Sut Lis; Oup presented by J. No. 3. O. H. Davies, 10st. 11br. J. Francis, Esq., Q.C.; open to any member of the Victoria Recreation Club

who has never won a Sculling Race in

China of Japan; distance, one mile. Eu-

W. H. Potts, 12st, 2lbs. Scotia the lead, winning easily by three lengths, Daisy The race was very slow. H. W. Metcalie, 10ar, 9.be. Fredericks had the advantage at the atart, his boat being under way and at the first hundred yards was leading by about a couple of lengths. Metcalfe and Potts kept close together, the former about half a length ahead. Metcaife seemed to be rowing easiest of the three and was thought The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Prometheus, trom | to stand a good chance of winning. When the course was about half rowed Fredericks about the 20th just. here on or had got a little outside the course, but seemed to have plenty of strength and kent Nominations for Hongkong Derby, 1890, The Shire Lin B s. Merionethshi e, from his lead although the others tried to catch Bow, A. Duer, 10st. 1 lbs. London, &c., left Singapore on the bim up. He had, however, the advantage 12th inst., and may be expected here of the tide and looked safe to win if he kept No. 8, A. G. Stephen. up his stroke. Off the G downs Potts and Stroke, G. C. C. Muster.

Royal Engineers' Royal Artillery's A. & S. Highlanders ... Three bonts started, the two entered and one from the Regiment, The Artillery boat led from the start, but off the Dook the Highlanders caught them up and the three boats went close together for some distance. The Highlandors, however, gradually drow shend a little but found it very difficult to throw off the others. A capital race to the figship ensued between the Engineer

dually coming up to and passing the regimental craft, and won by a short length; the Artillery a good third. Time, 9m. 34s.

and the Highlanders, the former boat gra-

3.-INTERNATIONAL RACE. - CHALLENGE Cur': Presented by the Victoria Recreation Club; for four oars; one-mile-anda-haif; entrance, \$10; to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club.

Station No. 1,-White, Thistle Badge. Bow. E. M. Blair . . . 10st, 5lbs. No. 2, D. Kennedy 12st. 71bs. No. 3, A. G. Stephen Ilat. Olb. Stroke, Capt, Davidson

12st; 11b. Cox; W. Stopani Station No. 2. - Rud Sash, St. George's

No. 2, G. H. Potts . . . 12st. 1lb. Cox, G. C. White . . . 6st. 12lbs. The two boats got away nicely, Master

making a fairly quick str ke and his men rowing well together, the Scotch crew takbodying all the latest improvements in Esq.; G. E. Noble, Esq.; W. H. Ray, ing it essy and seening perhaps a little too Esq. ; Commander R. Murray Rumsey, confident. The English boat in the first R.N.; Dr. O. H. Simons, United States hundred yards chiained a lead of about a THE greatest attention has been paid to Consul; Gersh in Stewart, Esq.; Colonel length, her crew displaying ve y good form appliances for ensuring purity in the Storer, RR; Mr Justice Wise; Honour all the time. The Scotch erew seemed still Water supply, to secure which we have able H. E. Wodehouse, C.M.G.; E. L. to take it easy, and showed plenty of strength. Their bow oar, however, looked had the ine de course and was being hommed in by the English boat The latter boat was Colonel Vernon Chater; R. K. Leigh, Esq. leading by about a length when Captain Umpires and Starters :- Rowing, Starter, D.vidson, who had been reserving himself a d looked likely to last to the finish. aptain D. v dson's apurt, if his crew had been all right, would probably have enabled him to win easily, but considering the evidently exhausted condition of his bow our, the effort was made too late. No sooner was the stroke quickened than Blair 'caught a crab,' and the English boat, which was being caught up, shot shead again. Both boats were in the wake of the was regrettable considering the length of flagship was too little to give the Scotch

5-BECKERS' CUP, presented by the Brokers of Honekong; for double scalls; distance, one mile; entrance \$5; to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club.

ground, even if the erew had been fit, and

Maud. Station No. 1 .- Blue and White. M. Friederichs, . 9st. Olb. . . . 13st. 21be. Stroke, E. Fredericks, Cox, W. Bamsey. .

Station No. 2. - Blue and Gold Sath. W. H. Potis. of excellent mettle. The fact of the Stroke, E. B. Shepherd, . . . 10st. 5ibr. Cox. W. Stopani.

Kathleen. Station No. 3 .- White. G. Bramwell. . . . 12st. 2lbs. Stroke, Capt. Davidson. 12st. 11bs. Cox. H. Brocklebank. . . 6st. 111be. The Kathleen took the lead from the and a good deal of money was dropped start and taking an extreme outside course over it. The failure of the Scotch bow rowed easily, keeping a length ahead of oar was a contingency which to those Kileen which was also going easily, and who saw the race from the start seemed by keeping about two lengths in front of the no means unlikely, and in the circum- Maud. Off the Dock Shepherd and Potts stances it could not fail to have a disastrous laid themselves out to their work a little effect on the boat's chance. The English better and got about level with Davidson crew, however, thoroughly well deserved and Bramwell, who were apparently not their victory, for they rowed pluckily and exerting themselves much. Within 100 yards of the flagship Davidson and Bram-

> Eilcen 2 6-NAVAL OFFICER' RACE; open to Naval Officers of all nationalities; cup presented by members of the Hongkong Cub;

Kathleen. 1

entrance, \$5 ; distance, one mile. II. M. S. Impéricuse. 9st. 9bs. M. H. Cobbe. No. 2. F. II. Walter, . . 8st. 13lba. No. 3. G. W. Brabant 9st. 13lbs. The prizes will be presented to the stroke. H W. Melcalfo. 10st. 9|bs. 7st. : Olbs. Cox, T. B. Handcock, H. M. S. Cordelia. Bow. F. S. Litchfield. No. 2. P. A. Bateman-Campain 9st. 11lbs. The two boats had a capital start and rowed level for a short distance. The

> - Garrison Cur; presented by the Officere of the Garrison; for four-oats; disfauce. one mile; entrance, \$10; to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club or boats similar in build to these belonging to Victoria Recreation Club, No International Crews to enter for this r.ce.

inperieuse crew, who were heavier than

their opponents, soon got shead and kept

Fictoria. Station No. 1, - Black and White. . 12st, 7 by. 11st. Olbr. . 10st. 5 br. 8st. 6 bs. Cox, W. Stopani. Kornblume. Station No. 2. - Admiral's Flog.

Potts had gradually improved his position Bur. P. Oliver. 8it. Dibe. list. Glbs. list, Ilibe, Sat. 11lba.

N. 3. R. B. Garde. Stroke, J. D. Hickley. Cox, II. Brocklebank,

No. 2. D. Kennedy,

	No. 8409.—I
·	Thist
	Bow,E. B. Shephe No. 2, E. M. Blair,
	No. 3, J. Little, Stroke, G. Bramwell,
	Cox, G. C. White. Re Station No. 4,V
) ·)	No. 2, G. L. Duncan
	No. 3, T. H. Valby, Stroke, J. M. Laing, Cox, A. T. White,
	Station No. 5.—8
	No. 2, Capt. Robins No. 3, D. Henderson
	Stroke, Capt. Davids
4.	Captain Davidson's ciud for this race. T
_	together, Davidson's of the very beginning a outside course. Lair
	very well pulled, kept ing boat for about
	began to drop behind, took the second place however, Master seren
	ateadily and well can and took the second pl
	place. Captain Davi
iii j	several lengths; Hic
	Shamrock, Kornblume,
m	9.—AMERICAN CUP,
•	American Commu distance, one mile be rowed in boats
,	toria Recreation U
i.	Bow, W. Thorburn No. 2, A. M. Bruce,
2	No. 3, A. G. Stepho Stroke, E. Friedrichs
	Cox, U. Brockleba
	Station No. 2.— Bow, R. B. Garde, No. 2, F. E. Martin
•	Stroke, G. C. C. Mas
, 4	Cox, G. C. White Le Station No. 3.—R
	Bow, A. Ough, . No. 2, C. B. Thomp
	No. 3, G. Potts, Stroke, G. Bramwell, Cox, W. Bamsey,
1	Station No. 4.—
	Bow, F. Jenkins, No. 2, G. L. Duncar No. 3, A. Duer,
	Stroke, D. Kennedy, Coz. W. Stopani,
	Kern Station No. 5.—B
	Bow, E. G. Young No. 2, J. T. H. San No. 3, E. M. Blair, Stroke, E. B. Shephe
•	Cox, A. T. White.
	Station No. 6.—W. Bow, R. M. James
	No. 2, T. H. Dalby, No. 3, J. D. Hickley
7 A.	Stroke, Captain David Cox, M. Fredericks All six boats starte
	ahead at the start, for Shamrock. Master's
<u>ئ</u> ن	few yards owing to Komblume made a st
	with the leading boat course was rowed. while dropped behind
	the race. Kennedy lengths? Bramwell's
	Thistle
	"11-" MENBERS' Cur
	Regatta; presente the Victoria Lecre
	to be rowed in bo
	victoria Recreation chosen immediately of the race for
. /	Korn J. Little (stroke).
٠.	T. H. Dalby. C. H. Thompson. G. C. White (con
	E. Friedrichs (stro
.	J. M. Laing. E. G. Young. M. Fradericks.
	fl. Brocklebank The race was rowe
	richs boat went away which it was thought but in spite of good
	Little's crew the Rose easily, Little giving:
- v. ·	was reached. The w
. 4	the Roc finishing in Rose
	Sailing Race; for a Chinese excluded
mag ,	prize, \$20; second Imperieuse's Gig.
Ģ	Mr Smith's Ann Commodors's Gr
	Ancona's Cutter, Hailoong's Cutter Sailors' Home C
	Torpedo Depot's The boats got away N.E. breeze, the Ga
•	by the Imperieuse Gi
¥ 11:	eased off. 'the first as follows : — Commodore's G
1 .	Commonore's Gr

			n ed Azerta		, ,		
No.	840		10	BER	20,	, 188	
Static Bow,	on Ne. E. B. S		d and		k Sas 0st.		
No. 2,	E. M.	illair,		1	Cat.	blbs. 8lbs.	
No. 3, Stroke, Cox,	G. Bra G. C. \		8e.	. 1	Zat. Gat. 1		
Buw	ion Ne.	4; W	hito n		Det. 1	LLB.	
No. 2, No. 3, Stroke	r. II. 1	alby,		1	let.	2lbs,	
Cox,	Λ. Τ. Ν	Vhito, Sham	rock.	.4	5st. 1	.ed101	
Bow, No. 2,	ion No. W. Th	orburn	, ,	. 1	Het.	6lbs.	
No. 3, Stroke,	D. Hei Capt.	iderson Davids	n,	1	1st. 2st;	libe.	
Cox,	R, de (in Dav). Boye idson's	i, . boat v	Yas r	9st. ather	9lbs.	
cied for together the ver	. David	ison's c	rew at	potin	guhe	ad at	
outside	course.	d. kept	g's b	oat,	which a the	lead-	
ing boa	t for a	bout ind.	nalf th Hic	riey's	o and crow	then	
took the	Moste	r'acrev	who i	d ban	eon re	Butwe	
and tool	the se	cond plants	ace and	d ever	or the	aten-	
place, much of several	a lead	for this	, howe	ver, a	ind w	on by	
cond.	Time, &	m.			. 1		
Ko	rnblume		- 1			2	
Amor	ican C	ommu	nity:	for	four-	vars;	
be ro	ce, on wed in Recrea	boats	the p	ropoi	o to	Vic-	
Su	tion N	0. 1.—	Blue a	nd W	/hitė.	Ols-	
Retur	W Th	OPPOURTS		_ 1	Ust.	tilbs.	
No. 2, No. 3, Stroke, Cor,	E. Fra U. Bro	adrichs okleba	nk,	. I	3at. Gst. 1	2lba. l1lbs.	
	tion No	. 2. — J	or <i>io.</i> Black	and V	Vhite		
No. 2, No. 3, Stroke,	F. E.	Martini		. 1	Zst.	Zibe.	
Stroke, Cox,	G. C. 1	Vhite	7	. 1	6at 1at.	Sibs.	
Bow.	on No. A. Ou	3.—R		1	Ost,	9 bs.	
$N_{ij} = 2$	$\mathbf{C} \cdot \mathbf{H}$	Thumn	BOD.		Uak.	$D \cup D^{\omega}$.	
No. 3, Stroke, Cox,	G. Bra W. Ba	mwell, msey,	atle .	. 1	zst. 2st.	216s. 216s.	
Bow.	tion No F. Jen	s, 4.—) kins,	Kellow	and	Black lst.	Ilb.	
No. 2.	G. Lan	Dungar	1.	. 1	Uat.	til ba	
No. 3, Stroke, Cox,	W. St	pani, Kerni	blume.	1	8s t.	61ba.	
Stati Bow.	on No. E. G.	$\mathbf{b}_{i} \leftarrow \mathbf{B}_{i}$ \mathbf{Young}_{i}	luo an	d Gol	d Sus Oct.	4lb#.	
No. 2, No. 3, Stroke,	E. M. E. B.	Blair, Shenba	rd.	. 1	O.t. Ost.	ölbs. ölbs.	
Cox,	A. T.	White. Sham	rock.	٠	Sat.	10(bs.	
Static Bow, No. 2,	R. M. T. H.	James	on, .	. 1	lst.	11b.	
No. 3, Stroke,	J,∴D. J Captai	Hickley n David	lson,	. 1	1at. 2at.	21hs. 11bs.	
All si	M. Fre z boats	starto	d. T	ho T	histle	Olba. shot,	
ahead a Shamroo few yas	k, M.	ing to	boat o	iropp oken	ed al	The	
Komble with the	one ma cleadir	de a str	when ong e	Nort' agu	to go	of the	
course while di the race	ropped	behind	bna f	açen	10d 0	out of	
lengths Th	Brancistle	well's					
	k	* *		• •		4	
	en wh	have	not w	on a	TACO I	at the	
the Y	tta ; pi lictoria distan	llecre	ntion	Club	; for	four-	
to be Vieto	rowed rin Re	in bo: creatio	n Clu	prop	erty	of the to be	
	n imm he rac	e for		Amer			
Т. Н	tle (st.	roke).			. 1	,	
	C. Wh	ite (em	t). use.		. "	4	
J. M	riedrich Laing	a (atro)			Ĭ.	• 17	
В. G М. F	Youn rederic	g. ka	land.	***			
	Brock race wa oat we:	s rowe	d in th	to da			
which i	t Was t	hought good	could eniwor	not	be ke the p	pt up.	
Little's easily,	crew t	he .Rose iving:	kept ip be:	her le	ad an	d won igship	
the tid	lo favo	urable,	good	timo			
	86	_				1	
SAILING	ese ex	cluded	; enti	RDC6.	s ; ar	y rig, ; first	
prize In	, \$20 ; perícus	second e's Gig.	prize,	\$10.		with.	
M: Co	r Smith mmode	's Ann	ie. lley.		•	a.	
He Sa	icona's allowing' ilors' E	s Cutte	r. utter.				
The	rpedo l boats go	Depot's	Fam at 1.1	4 wit	han	ice N.	
N.E. t	reezo, Imperi	the Ga euse Gi	lley le	ading other	boat	low-d s well	
eased of	ff. (11)	e first :	park t	oat w	SE TU	unded	
Co	mmode perieus ume	e (lig	lley		J. 37 1.40 1.41		
A	couq's	Cutter	4		1.42		
		s boat	S. 1"		1.44	2	
Otho On t	ra not t he stre the wit	imed.	osa to	the	Chun	g Hue	

No. 8409.—DECEMBER 20, 188	9.]			
Thist'c.	SAILING RACE (Handicap)-; for partially			
Station No. 3. — Red and Black Sash. No	decked boats not exceeding the following dimensions; 20 ft. (long) by 5 ft. (beam) by 3 ft. (draught); prize, cup; entrance,			
o. 2, E. M. Blair, 10st. blbs	\$2. Measta C. Pape and A. H. Ough's Dai			
Cox, G. C. White Gat. 12lb.	Mr G. S. Long's Chameleon Mr C. H. Thomson's Jeanuette			
Station No. 4, - White and Orange.	Mr G. P. Lammert's			
o. 2, G. L. Duncan, 10st. 1 lbs.	Mr C. J. Williams' Violet Mr R. W. Whithers' Mosq ito			
roke, J. M. Laing, 10st. 11hs. Cox. A. T. White. 5st. 10hs.	These boats were started at 1.14. The Mosquito capsized just before the race began.			
Shamrock.	The Irene was leading on the run to the first mark bent, the Viulet following close astern.			
Station No. 5.—Scarlet and White. ow,W. Thorburn, 10st. 6lbs. o. 2. Capt. Robinson; 11st. 3lbs.	There was a fresh breeze at starting, the boats making good way to the lat Mark			
o. 3. D. Henderson 11st. 5lbs.	Bont, which was passed as follows:-			
roke, Capt. Davidson, 12st; 11bs. Cox, R. de C. Boyd, 9st. 9lbs.	Violet 1.48			
Captain Davidson's boat was rather fan-	Christine . 1.49 The water being rather lumpy and the			
gether, Davidson's crew shooting ahead at	breeze fresh, the heavier boats had the ad-			
tside course. Laing's boat, which was ry well pulled, kept close up on the lead-	The Violet passed the 2nd mark boat at 2.13, (the other boats times not being			
g boat for about half the race and then gan to drop behind. Hickley's crow then	taken) and came in an easy winner, passing the winning post at 3 p.m., the Chame-			
ok the second place. Off the godowns, wever, Master screw who had been rowing	came along in a cluster, but the wind being			
d took the second place and even threaten-	light and the tide atrong, they failed to reach the winning mark boat, although every			
to give the soldiers a pull for the first	device, rolling rocking &c., was used to reach the goal.			
voral lengths; Hickley's crew being se-	YACHT RACE; for yachts over 10 tons; en-			
nd. Time, &m. Shamrock,	sented by E. R. Belilies, Esq.			
Kornblume,	Mr W. H. Forben's Naomi, 30 tour. Mesers Potts and Van Buren's Ariel. 14 tons.			
-AMERICAN CUP, presented by the American Community; for four-wars;	h. m. Start at 1.43 p.m.			
distance, one mile; entrance, \$10. To be rowed in boats the property of Vic-	Ariel, 1 Naomi, 2			
toria Recreation Cub.	close-hauled-with-ringtail-ast-for the Cow-			
Station No. 1.—Blue and White. w. W. Thorburn, . 10st. 6lbs.	e-Chow mark boat, which was rounded as follows:—			
p. 2, A. M. Bruce, 10st. blbs.	1. Naomi, 2. 22. 0. p.m.			
roke, E. Friedrichs,	2. Ariel, 2. 23. 30 Reaching for the southern end of Chung			
Victorio. Station No. 2.—Black and White.	Hue the Nuomi out-distanced her rival, and putting about on the port tack, followed later on by the Ariel passed the Chung Hue.			
ow, R. B. Garde, 11st. 6lbs. o. 2, F. E. Martini, 12st. 2lbs.	mark boat as follows :			
roke, G. C. White	1. Naomi, 3. 0. 45. p.m. 2. Ariel, 3. 8. 40.			
Cox, G. C. White	Standing well up the harbour with a good breeze the Naomi seemed to have made her			
ow. A. Ough,	time allowance on her rival, but getting into a calm host her advantage and the flegship			
o. 3, G. Potts 12st. 1 bs. roke, G. Bramwell, 12st. 2 bs.	mark boat was rounded as follows. b. m. *.			
Cox, W. Bamsey, 12st. 2lbs.	1. Nami, . 3. 43. 15 p.m. 2. 4riel, . 3. 45. 40 ,			
Station No. 4.—Yellow and Black. ow, F. Jenkins,	Standing on the starbeard tack up Regatta Bay it was seen that the Naomi could not			
o. 2, G. I. Duncan, 10st. 6lbs o. 3, A. Duer, 10st. 10lbs.	ed as follows :-			
roke, D. Kennedy, 12st. 7lbs. Cox, W. Stopani, 8st. 6lbs.	1. Naomi, 4. 9. 25 p.m.			
Kornblume. Station No. 5Blue and Gold Sush.	Coming down to the winning post the			
ow, E. G. Young, 10st. 4lbs. o. 2, J. T. H. Sample, . 11st. 3 bs.	Ariel set every possible stitch and the finish was as follows:— Flagship.			
roke, E. B. Shepherd, 10st. 5lbs.	h. m. s. 1. Naomi, 4. 37. 30 p.m.			
Cox, A. T. White 5st. 10lbs	2. Ariel, 4. 43. 50 ,,			
ow, R. M. Jameson, 11st. 11b.	6. 20 ,, Allowance 10.			
o. 3, J. D. Hickley, 11st. 2 hs. roke, Captain Davidson, . 12st. 11bs.	3. 40 ,;			
Cox, M. Fredericks, 9st. Olbs. All six boats started. The Thistic shot,	10. s.			
and at the start, followed closely by the gonrock. Master's boat dropped after a				
w yards owing to a broken car. The ornblume made a strong effort to get up	YACHT RACE; for yachts under 10 tons; entrance, \$5; time for tonnage. Prize,			
th the leading boat when a quarter of the grad was rowed. The Shamrock mean-	Mr May's Golleon Baron ox-Sunbeam, 71 tons.			
hile dropped behind and seemed out of a race. Kennedy won by a couple of	Mr R. Cooke's Arrow, 8 tons. Signal to start at 1.43 p.m. Both yachts			
ngths? Bramwell's crew being secon?.	got away well together, with mainsail gaff top sail fore-staysail and jib set. Soon after			
Thistle Leek 2	the Colleen Bown set ring-tail, but it was barely set when it was found judicious to			
MENBERS' Cur;' for all competing	take it in. The Arrow also set ring-tail but was able to carry it; by the time the ship-			
Regatta; presented by the Members of	ping was cleared, the Colleen Bawn was f of a mile astern, but to windward. Again an			
oars; distance, one mile; entrance, \$1.;	attempt was made to set the ring-tail, but it was only allowed to shake in the wind			
to be rowed in boats the property of the Victoria Recreation Club: grews to be	when it was taken in. A steady course was set for the Cow-o-chew mark boat.			

Both yachts | Never. st. Soon after ail, but it was judicious to et ring-tail but rd. Agnin an ring-tail, but e in the wind steady course was set for the Cow-o-chow mark boat. fter the conclusion Midway between Stonecutters' Island and Chung Hug the Arow set spinnaker 'American Our.' and the Colleen Baton again had recourse to her ringtail, while the Arrow took in gaf topsail. Soon after the Colleen Baron also other \$100. set spinnaker, as the wind by this time was falling light. . The Arrow rounded the Cow-e-Chow mark boat at 2.29.45; the Colhen Baien at 2.36.15. Both yachts stood for the southern and of thung Hue, close hauled on the starboard tack. Getting well across, the Arrow was first to put about, and stand on the Port tack, followed in about 15 minutes by the College ith a quick stroke Brien. This course was kept until the mark boat was about due north; then about ship on the Sterboard tack to make the mark boat, which was rounded by the Arrowat 3. 15.55, the College Baum nowhere. With a fairly good breeze the Arrow stood on the Port tack for the winning d time was milde post; the Calken Boson by this time was about 1 mile astern and. 14 miles to leeward, and it seemed as if the Arrow was to repeat her performance of yesterpen boats; any rig, | day. The wind still continuing fresh. ntrance, \$2; first the Arrow mide good way up the Harbour and setting jib topsail she finished at 4.2.30 the Bawn Colleen at 4,55.50.

> Excuse me, miss, said a smart young man to a lady who affects juvenility in head dress, 'but your hair is all down,' Thank you, was the reply; possibly you have observed the same fact in connection with your mustache. - Washington Capital.

ie other boats well Indignant Physician-Man, what have wind with sheets you done I You sent my patient the k toat was rounded wrong prescription and it killed him. Druggist-Vell, what was der matter mit you I Last veek I send your odder patient der righd berscription, and dot killed him. How can somebody blease souch a man,-Springfield Republican.

she had reached all the other boats. The

second mark boat was passed in the follow-

Commodore's Galley . . 2.03

Ancona 3. 3.

Hailoong_ 2.6

and the Victor E. galley again went ahead,

passing the other boats. A good race for

second took place between the Imperieuse

and Ancong, the latter winning. The

Hadoong boat did very well on the home-

ward run and made faster time than the

leading boats. The boats passed the win-

Commodore's Galley . 2,50

Ancona 2.31:

Fedme 2.52

H Hoong , , , , 2.53

Imperieuse 1 2,51,30

1.1 1 1 1 3.19

ning mark in the following order :-

On the homeword run the wind fell light

2.02

ing order :-

Imperieuse .

Piume . . .

SUPREME COURT.

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. Before Hon. Mr Justice Fielding Clarke, Acting Chief Instice).

Friday, December 20th, 1889. THE SMITH-BRANDT LIBEL CASE. The Criminal Sessions were recumed to-day, when the charge of milicions libel, preferred against Mr Oscar Brandt at the instance of Mr Fraser Smith, was

M. E. F. March, J. S. Judah, John Edgar, William Gardner, C. O. G. He rmann, John Olsen, C. H. Ro. ge. Mr Saugster, Assistant Rogistrar, road the indictment which contained the following letter, which it was alleged was a libel

on Mr France Smith in his papacity as a urnalist :-'Mr Robert France Smith,

Editor, Hongkong Te'edraph. Sir .- Having road your leader in tonight's lesue of your paper in which you

the following abuse over me under the guise of public- wind of this, and I want to be off. Mr sal consent left to a species of Lynch sugar shares were to be delivered to Mr 5 ft. (beam) spirited comment on my recent case v Oscar Brandt is evidently a hunjourist. If law peculiar to the race couse. He is Benjamin .- I do not know. ip; entrance, Grimble, I will make the following state- his domestic experiences are an about the is black. You know Mr Benjamin became a de-

Chameleon that the case was a gambling case, well take place in America. Jeanuette knowing that my claim was a most just one Irene for money wrongfully appropriated by the Christine defendant.

2, -You pervert the truth in your des-Violet Mosq ito cription of the case in a shameless manner, t 1.14. The distorting and corrupting the various facts proved in clear evidence in Court, and in un to the first such a way as to make the whole features g close astern. appear totally different and disadvant- writing. He (Mr Smith) admitt-d that Mr described, and in our opinion outside the or about your transaction.

again when you devote a whole half column | the Hongkong Telegraph of 23rd Febru- his eyes open is so near a fraud that we held a responsible position?-I believe so. shares to be delivered to a person who after- Mr Brandt then examined Mr Smith as did he give notice of repudiation? Plainly beginning of the animus against me. wards became a defaulter. mark boat at

paring myself to 'Welshers,' your mean read a long series of articles which appear ho was left no other alternative. Brandt stated that Mr Brandt had some enemies, claim for a bong fide debt and in no way and totally untrue attacks on my past life ed in 1884, making damaging comments on played to win and made no preparations to but Mr Smith would not injure him. He justified the malicious attack made on him. in vague and inkinuating terms and other him (Mr Brandt) in connection with racing | meet a loss. And this, substituting a race- was not a man to keep up an animosity So far from wishing to get out of his debt. gross insults shall not be left uppunished, and the training of penies.

to persecute me in your vile paper for petrated to Odamalla by a notorious jackey. also Grimble's brokers, and had the usual that the racing articles condemning me 10 tons ; on- years. I have hithorto ignored you, on the Witness (cross examined) Xou are the suthority to aquare up accounts between were written !- Yes. ge ; Cup pre- principle of Wer Peck angreift besudelt sich, notorious jockey referred to and you were clients who had cross transactions, had Mr Brandt Have we had intercourse Mr Brandt had not proved that he was 30 tons. have run to the end of your tether. I shall it. give you just one day to think over your Mr Brandt-I have fifteen or twenty for detailed criticism. Brandt admitted little berrier, which, as I wrote, I was to convince you that the law of this colony doubtful attempt was made to stick Mr properly against what was a mean attempt for the Cow- ment to a wholesale reviter, malicious the paper 21st February was put in, in denied. as rounded as | slanderer, and coward !

I must ask you to publish this letter at | tically starved and was brutally ridden. once, in your next issue. If you reluse, then I shall know that even the last spark, aware that the pony was ridden by snybody of honour and manliness has left you. Yours obediently, nd of Chung

OSCAR BRANDT. Praya Contral, No. 13; Hongkong, 9th | put in. to Chung Hue. October, 1889.

> Mr Brandt tendered a plead of not guilty He also pleaded privilege. He likewise pleaded that the statements in the letter were true in substance and in fact,

His Lordship said that was not available unless a written plea was filed. it getting into After some discussion, the plaintiff waiv ing any objection, Mr Brandt was allowed to write out a special plea of justification, alleging that the libel was true in substance and in fact and that it was for the public benefit that it should be published. k up Regatta Mr Phillippo drafted an answer denying

this, and having briefly addressed the Court, being round- called the following evidence :--Mr Robert Fraser Smieh-I am a journalist, and I am editor and proprietor of the Hongkong Telegraph registered in this Colony. I went to Macao on the evening ning post the of the 9th and returned the following day. and the finish I got home about 11.30 p.m. On my arrival my wife handed me a letter which I road. The letter produced is the letter. There are cortain allegations in that letter. I c naider that they libel mr. I consider it a most insulting letter. The next day I came down town, looking for Mr Brandt. When I appeared at the Hongkony Botel ! could not find him the whole day. I was very much excited about it.. I took advice and finding that he had been reading that letter in a public place, I took criminal

to a breach of the peace. Mr Brandt-How long have you been nage. Prize, a journalist !- For twenty yours. That means you have been a journalis beam, 71 tons. before you came to this Colony. -Yes. Were you editor of a paper at Home :

In what capacity were you a journalist-

I was a writer to the papers. A reporter-Never. How long have you been editor of th Hongkong Telegraph, -Since 1881.

liow many times were you criminally Bawn was 1 of prosecuted for libel-Twice, perhaps three How many time for civil libel—Twice

> How many times have you been convict ed and lost civil actions? - I was once convicted for criminal libel and imprisoned for it, and I lost two civil actions, one taken by Mr Wicking and another by Mr Bulgin. The damages in one case were \$250 and the

How many times have you made libellous statements in your paper and have no been prosecuted ?- I do not answer that. How many times have you abused me in your paper-I never abused you at all.

How long have you known me personally-I think for about 10 years. There was a time we were on very

friendly terms. How many years !- From 188. to 1884 I think. At the end of 1883 did you ask me to give you a pony cilled Se ond Violin a pony y a used to call Second Fiddle. - I do not

remember. Did I give you Second V olin ?- I do no

Is this your letter.—It is, marked private see. I distinctly remember.

Did I give you that pony-No. Have you not abused me in your paper

ever since-I never abused you publicly or privately in writing or in any way else. You used to live in my house during the race meetings and for two or three months at a time and we were intimate. Did I to you of my family off ire-I am not aware of your having spoken to me of your pr vate affixs. I think it it likely you spoke of your mother and your home, but you did not live meany i form tion.

We learn with considerable astonishment sold by Messrs. Benjamin and Danby at that Hougkong boasts the possession of an 8256 per share on September 4th. Mr. aspirant, for the honors of the P. R. cham. Dinby, on oath, stated that he had sold the pionship. The Landon Weekly Dispatch of shares on the date and at the price menthe 25th November has the following tioned. Brandt, however, claimed that the paragraph, which we publish without cor. price on the settling day, namely 265 or ment :- The New York Sun of the 11th | 265, was the rate which he ought to be inst, contains a challenge from Hangko g charged, and the Acting Puisne Judge, for to Jake Kilrain. The name of the new reasons we venture to consider altogether man is Oscar Brandt, his sporting cogno- insufficient, taking into consideration the men being 'Ingo Reliab.' .- [18 saya he will whole circumstances of the transaction, gave fight the winner of the coming combat fr judgment in favor of this contention. To the championship of the world, the diamond prevent any misunderstanding it is just as belt, and 5,000 dols or 17,000 dols a side, the fight to come off in America or point, we quite coincide with Mr. Acting Coins, with 1,000 dole, for expense. Oscar Brandt is unanoming, as he tays: the defendant's evidence was the reverse of conclusive; but at the same time we The following are my dimensions :-The following jury were chosen :- Mesers Height 6ft, 21 in.; hest, 461 in stomach, hold that his Honour was bound to give 90 n. (Note. I give you the moures of my stomach so that you shall have a belt case. In England there is a class of speen. purposely made for me.) Weight in con- lators (1) who attend rice-meetings for the dition, 217th; age forty five. The com- purpose of betting with ignorant persons on ment about his stomach and belt is simply exactly the same principle that Brandt delicious. Brandt, in furnishing further bought sheres from Grimble for forward particulars, says, So for as I know. I have delivery. They take people's money, and never seen my father, and I am doubtful whilst the range is being run they vanish about my mother. Born good looking-at and are not to be found by the backers least, I think so, educated on a big ranch of the winner. These roughs are called between Mongolia and Manchuria, fight welshers, and whon, as sometimes under any rules, fire minutes start to be happens, one of the fraternity is caught

Mr Brandt then handed han some papers referring in some way to him at lago velish and asked him if he printed them,

He was also shown an envelope, which he acknowledged was in Mr Bidwell's hand-Bidwell wrote occasionally to his paper. '3 -You knowingly and deliberately lie Mr Brandt then read a paragraph from contract that a man enters into with

of slush to demonstrating that I never had a ary which he said was the same date scarcely know where to draw the line, and chance to take up the shares in a falling mar- as the envelope from Mr Bidwell. The Acting Justice Wise says in his summing cessful?—He had the reputation of being so. ket, that I could never take them up, that paragraph said that criminal proceedings up that there was evidence that on August I played a game of "Hends I win ; tails you would likely be taken against Mr Oscar | 27 the plaintiff gave distinct notice to the lose," &c. &c., knowing perfectly well from Brandt on account of his seriously compro- defendant that he intended to repudiate the the evidence that I had purchased these mising relation in certain transactions. shares and would not take them up." Why sent me 10th December 1883, to show the tions.

4. -Your infamously and cowardly com- toast applied to him, and proceeded to riso, and as the dice turned the wrong way, which Mr Smith wanted to get. It was that the case of Branct v. Grimble was a The "pilot ' refers to you. Then there pure and simple.

which it was said that Odancalla was prac-

Witness (cross-examined)-I am not but you. The correspondent who favoured it is after your letter. me with the information was Mr Bidwell. The paper, 5th December 1885, was next about as near as we can.

His Lordship at this point said he did not see how this evidence was benefiting under false pretences from Grimble ?-I did paper. -I may have spoken about you, the defendant in his plea of justification. He did not prove they were libels by pro-

12th July 1886, referring to a silver loan negotiated by Mr Brandt : but, as His Lord- | the shares went up. ship suggested that this did not help him, ho did not press it. Mr Brandt-Did you ever write about served it. That is my opinion.

me in this way before 1883 ? ... Witness-I do not know ... before 1883 that you wrote about me in

this fashion? Witness-I cannot say. When did we fall out !- After the race of

The whole of the article dated 9th October was then put in and read. It is as follows: -

The share-dealing-or perhaps it would

be more accurate to say the share-gambling Brandt v. Grimble, heard before Certainty not. wise Providence, have been sent as an Brandt v. Grimble. infliction on this ' dot on the occan,' but as the nakedness of this decidedly fishy suit | the case Brandt v. Grimble. was laid bare in Court-the colony must! distressing circumstances. Brandtis-well, the reports in the Hongkong Telegraph of is at home, but on the Rialto he is supposed to be a share speculator; Grimble is, Whampon Dock Company, who for some was based. time past, doubless with the knowledge and sanction of the Directors of that popu- the swindling comes in !- There is Mr Juslar public corporation, passed the best part | tica Wise's statement in summing up that in company with brokers of more or less | take up shares you purchased on time. concentrated in his own person; Brandt is market turned in his favour. a horse of quite another colour—he is not a youth, and we regret to add that his past | your article in the report in your paper. alligator die of laughter at the remarks he fuller reported in the Duily Press and China alligator, thought fit to make in court. These are Mail.

the remotest chance in the world of taking delivery at due data nuless the quo ation went up-in other words he was playing the very nice little game of 'heads I win, tails you lose. 'The price did not go up,' it went down with a run, and at the end of August: China Suzars were a drug in the market at about \$265, and with a decidedly downward lendency. Of course Brandt could not take up his shares - undoubtedly he naver had any intention of doing so, but gambled on the rise or fall-and a few days before settling day he notified the brokers intereated that he could not carry out his contract and wished the shares to be carried over, to suit his own purposes, for another month; Grimble swere in the witness box that he declined to accede to this request, but that Mr Reandt-In the Hongkong Telegraph of he promised to hold them over for a few 31st Doc., 18:8, there is the following para- days; and it is undoubted that the shares, not having been cleared by Brandt, were well to add that, from a stri tly legal stand-Justice Wise's decision, on the ground that due weight to the admitted fiels of the

'Grimble sold Brandt 50 China Sugar Re-

finery shares for delivery on August 31st at

\$286 per share. It is quite evident when

Brandt bought these shares that he had not

for partially shower most vituperative and malicious allowed in case my Chinese referenced business, he is by univer- case you must have been aware that the to be, it would be guite at well both for and blue, and then soused into the nearest foulter. - I do not know Mr Benjamin. 1.—You deliberately lie when you say himself and Jake Kilrain if the fight did horse pond, the police, on the strength of The David Benjamin who became a perfectly understood if unwritten law, | defaulter. - I do not know. Does that refer to me ? I would say so. | declining to interfere. The notion of a welsher suing a client in a court of law August -. I believe I did, but I did not is far too ludicrous for sprious consideration | know him. -and yet, what was the actual position of | Did not Mr Andrew, your broker, inform Mr Smith denied that they were publish- the plaintiff in Brandt v. Grimble ? On his you that Mr Benjamin was the purchaser own showing he gambled to win; when he | and he was a defaulter?-Mr Andrew paid

pale of legal protection. Repudiation of a

You know perfectly well I won my case was produced the paper dated 25th April . There we a now her same in the case, a was used to and costs on the most conclusive evidence. from which several extracts were read, re- side issue, in which B andt sought to re- did not get Old tiddle. So far my statements. You have dared ferring to the gigantic imposition per- cover \$534.35. which his brokers, who were Mr Brandt-It was subsequent to that Fraser Smith called him welsher, and a but I shall put a stop to this now. You turned out of the Shanghai Race Club for credited to Grimble, but which, however, publicly or privately since that letter !misbehaviour, and unless you publish in | m re, but I will not trouble the Court, but owing the money, and did not show any willing to overlook your Thursday's issue a most humble and | will go on to January 8th 1885, a paragraph | just cause why it should not have been straig tforward apology I shall find a way in sporting gossip, in which it is said that a paid, and on this point the Judge was very him when I saw him.

in your mail issue?

Witness-I did. His Lordship—That will not help you if | Eca da Silva. And you call me a Welsher !- That is

Say yes or no-Yes, decidedly. You mean to say that I obtained money not say from Grimble.

trick. That practically means by false prosecuted, you, -I believe so. Mr Brandt put in another paper, dated pretences.- I accused you of buying shares on time for which you could not pay unless | the article against me. - I was. You accused me of being a Welsher on the riskto in that transaction. -I think you de- | Macao |-Yes.

Are you quite aware what the term Welsher means; is it just exactly what you Can you point out in any paper issued put in your paper?-I know well what it Are you not aware that Welsher means -Yes, in China.

obtaining money by means of trick-on falso protences—a Welsher is a fraudulent bookmaker - a man who bets and who has not the money to pay if he loses ?-The same as you did in the share case.

Were you not asked in the letter you received from me to apologise !- Yes. Have you apologised ?—A pologise to you.

Acting Justice Wise in the Summary Court | Mr Brandt-I wish to put in your paper | others. on the 24th and 28th ultr., given a fairly of 25th September 1-89. In that there is accura e insight into the character of the the following paragraph :- The share dealbusiness (?) which for the past six months ing case of Brandt v. Grimble, partly heard oriticising you and your actions?-I was my-On this account, and on this account only, Judge, in the Summary Court yesterday, China Mail. is the case of any public interest; the will require some criticism later on. At financial differences between these two per- present we can only carefully peruse the evid- your paper, but referred to the salt corner proceedings against him. I consider it in- sons, it will no doub be universally con- encound smile serenely. You may you have of which you were the organiser. jured me and I may say it might have led | ceded, should have been fought out in the taken particular notice of the osse. Would gutter instead of in the Sopreme Court of a you point out where my swindling comes anything to do with the case. that such men as Bratide and Grantie Me Bratill here wished to put in the ho had no other weapon of defence should by the mysterisms decrees of an all- Telegraph containing the report of his case

they are here or at least were here, when a nowspaper report as a correct report of was a vile paper. One contained a paragraph bear up and do the best it can under the marised reject. His article was based on the China Mail, and a good deal was said

we don't exactly know what he is when he the 24th and 28th September, and that sole-

His Lirdship said the report could be Mr B andt-Will you point out where

of his time in or near the Hongkong Hotel, you distinctly repudiated and declined to Bidwell !- No. I think it came from Mr. dubious repute. Grimble is, compara- I that justification for your article?-I lively speaking, a mero lad-a Hongkong- also based the article on private informabred youth who, sno led from his infancy, tion. The whole tener of the evidence ing the Hongkong Telegraph, had not sold a upwards, imagined that the whole of the proves that this man bought shares which single steam-launch share for forward deability and sharpness in the colony was he had no chance of taking up unless the livery

His Lordship-I understand you base tive langu ge, chatic enough to make an other papers. The case might have been

the men; now for their little troubles that | Mr Brandt-Will you point out where need press that question, led to the public exposure above referred it is stated during the case that I refused to pay the difference on these shares-You some time been writing articles about gamrepudiated your liability on these shares, would not pay-I do not know, . Does not the evidence show that Mr I do not think that Brownie is Mr O.

Grimble had an ample sum of money of Brandt. mine on hand to pay any difference that might arise. Not that I have seen.

Mr Smith said he also wrote the letter Messrs Toeg & Gubbay for one and Mr remember anything of what was said. Danby for another and also Mr Webber gave him information on the subject. Mr Danby hold him in substance that Mr now. Brandt had bought the shares and now repadiated them and was trying to swindle he brokers out of their brokerage.

he thought justified his comments, hand- handled last night. There was nothing to On ing tim copies of the China Mail and Daily | prevent the defendant ingaging him as So-

Mr Braudt then again saked Mr dmith

Mr Brandt- Did I not tell you to carry ral companies of which he (witness) was them over to the end of September or soll them at my risk, but that I would not take them ! Mr Brandt-Does saking him to sell at it to him and to three or four others.

my risk imply that I repudiated the shares.

Doily Pre s and Ghing Mail, and selected you going to do. This is rather too much. 1 the China Mail is the report with which he I have been on friendly torms with you for was perfectly satisfied. He was perfectly a good many years. willing, he said, to rest on that, The report as given in the China Mail was then read to Court.

His Lordship, after hearing it, said it in the article ! seemed simp'y to be a question whether he | Mr Limmert -It is difficult to may, shires ought to have been sold on the 31st have got a temper; I do not know what I Angust or our the 4th Sept, and whether might have done, Mr. Brindt was entitled to calculate! pa the price on the one date or the other. Mr Brandt - Were you present in Court during the hearing - During part of p. I neard the summing up.

addressed the judge ! You say that my rumarka were sufficient to make an ailig der laugh. Id , not know what you m an by that -It was intended as a li the witticism

Mr Braudt-From the evidence in this given Mr Smith a fair chance to apologise.

You sold him some shares for the end of

lost he could not pay, and therefore he was | me the difference as he guaranteed me. I | gave a history of the transaction between in the position of the social parish above did not know anything about Mr Benjamin | Brandt and Grimble which showed that Did you know Mr Grimble ?-- Yos,

He is a married man with a family and He was a large operator and most suc-He is said to have made about \$200,000. -The half of that, it is said-but on paper. Mr Brandt-I wish to put in the letter,

to when he had heard the name lago on enough because he gambled on an expected The letter referred to the pony Old Fiddle course for "the Rialto," is "welshing" and would not do so, but he must have Mr Grimble held \$3,000 of his and covered Old Fieldle.

Mr Brandt-Did you get Old Fiddle?-I

is not sufficient public importance to called Yes, the usual friendly intercourse with a letter.

If you got Necond Violin .- I did not want

Did this little barrier grow into a big although he was not justified in maliciously arboard tack, is well capable of awarding condigu punish. Vincent with two worthless posics. Then to evade a responsibility that was not one?-I ignored you altogether and thought attacking his assailant. He was cutified to you were a double sconndred. You called on windicate his character, and he polited out Mr Brandt-Did you reprint this leader | me once a few days after the explosion and | that Mr Brandt had read the letter for this wished bygones to be bygones, but I would not do so after the exposure of you and Mr Brandt-It was thought you would

> die and I called on you then and wished bygones to be bygones !- Yes. Mr Brandt- About a month afterwards an atrocious libel appeared in the Mr Brandt-You went to Macao after

You accuse me of obtaining money by you wrote the article on which Mr Price And you were in Macao after you wrote

> this had to do with the case. Mr Brandt-I wish to prove that I was justified in saying he was a coward. (To Mr | the second question either as two or as one, Smith) - Your paper has a wide circulation. As the editor and proprietor of such a ling finding.

of offence that others have not. His Lordship.—That is a matter of comment on which you can address the jury. Are you aware that the Daily Press and China Mail point blank refuse to have any communication concerning you ?-- They extend the same courtesy to my journal as to

Do they not refuse to put anything in their paper received from correspondents Mr Brandt-That had nothing to do with | finding it is a question whether you ask for

a verdict to be entered; His Lordship-I do not see that that has | die'. British colony. It is perhaps a misfortune in ?- I decline to do anything of the sort and he wished to show that fittled to a finding in favour of the prosecu-

Mr Brandt then put in so us other papers | listed. referring to him and to other matters, with His Lordship said he could not take the object of showing that the Te egraph about certain nymphs in Graham Street Mr Smith said his report was only a sum- and several had reference to Brownie and about Friet Fish Wrapper, and Friend Wicking.' He asked Mr Smith about the criminal prosecution which it was stated in the Telegraph some two years ago would likely follow. or was, book-keeper in the Hongkong and taken as the account on which the article be brought against Brandt. Had there boen any prosecution?

Mr Fmith-I do not know. I suppose there was not. Did you get the information from Mr

O.dwell. Another paper was put in in which it was stated that the 'editor of this paper,' mean-

Mr Brandt then asked again about the meaning of the tern make an alligator laugh, saying that he knew what a crocudite. record is, not to use any abusive or sugges- Mr Smith-Also on the report in the was and what a corport was, but he did not know what was meant in English by an His Lordship said he did not think he

Mr Smith (Re-examined)-I have for bling in shares and I write in the public Mr Brandt-D.d I ever give notice that interest. To the best of my ability I fairly commented on the Brandt v. Grimble case.

Mrs Fraser Smith gave evidence of having received the letter on the morning His Lordship pointed out that the evid- of the 10th and of having opened it ence of the Brandt a. Grimble case was not | She wrote on the chit book not at Home. Mr Hirst said that a small part of the letter-the commoncement-was read to rom private information. He enquired at him, and he was called away. He did not Cross-examined-His firm used to advertise in the Telegraph, but did not do so

> Mr Rodyk said that the letter was read to him in the vorandah of the Victoria

Cross-examined-He did say to the deto point out the part of the evidence that | fen ant that he had been rather roughly licitor, but he (witne s) would n t be re-Mr Smith pointed to a question put by tained, all Smith was a director of sever Secretary. Mr Lammert said he read the letter in

the Hongkong Hotel bar, Mr Brandt read Cross-tx:mined-I invited you to come - Well you repudiated your risk in that and have a drink. I did say to you Mr. Fraser Smith has been going for you, and Mr Smith was then given copies of the I made some kind of remark What are Mr Beandt-What would you have done

had you ber mattacked in the same position? Had it been 'Lammert' instead of 1 randt

Mr Lang said the letter hal been read to nim in his a be. Mr Brandt-Did I not go in to have a suit of clothes tried on this suit that I

have on-the libel suit as I ca'l it ! Mr Bandt-Were you present when I | Mr Lang said he thought so. Further gross-exam ned, witness said that he apoke of Mr Smith's leader about him to Captain Worton, who nated him what north of a man Brantt was. Mr Brandt when he called did asy that he had

Mr Webber said he came into the Hongkong Hotel bar while the letter was belon read aloud. There was about six or eight people present. They were laughing about it and having a good joke about it. He could not swear to the letter as Mr Brandt withdraw when he saw him (witness). Cross-examined-He did not go in with the intention of having a drink-certainly

not before 10 o'clock. Mr R. Toog, who was called for the defence, said that Mr Brandt did a large amount of share business with him. He Grimble had bought shares of Brandt for September at 306, and that it was suggested to Mr Brandt that Mr Grimble should carry over what Brandt had bought from him for August, an adjustment to be made at the end of September. Mr Brandt had had dealings with him to the extent of \$400.0.0 and had always paid. Some of the transactions were cash transac-

Mr Brandt then addressed the jury ni great length with the object of showing imself more than he was entitled to He was only suing Grimble to get back his own. Yet in spite of this Mr. social pariah outside the pale of the law. Mr Phillippo briefly replied, alleging that

instified in using the language he did in the His Lordship summed up at some length. He pointed out to the jury that when a man's personal character was attacked he was justified in using strong language. purpose. As to the plen of justification he shewed that the attacking article was not justified by the case Brandt v. Grimble, and he put it to the jury whether they considered the very serious accusations made therein justified the expressions wholesale reviler, malicious libeller and coward.

The jury retired and after an absence of twenty minutes returned. His Lordship said he understood they

were in a difficulty. Mr Heermann-We do not know how many questions we have to answer-two or three. We understand the first question And after the article against the young is whother the letter was written with man Berkley was written you were in malice, that the second question is-Was the letter true in substance and in fact and His Lordship said he did not see what there is also the question was it for the public benefit that it should be published. His Lordship said the jury might treat The jury then retired again and after a

short interval returned and gave the followwidely-circulated paper you have a weapon 1. That the letter was written withou malics—by o to 2. The second questioned they divided into

> They found-1-That the letter was true in substance and in fact-by 4 to 3. 2-Was the publication justified-Yes.

3-Was it for the public benefit that it was published?-No, imanimously, His Lordship-On the first finding I will has degraded and almost ruined this colony. before Mr A. G. Wise, Acting Painte | self the plaintiff in an action against the enter a verdict of not guilty. The defendant is discharged. As to the second

> Mr Phillippo said he did sak for a were His Lordship Then I think you are on tion, because the whole plos is not estab-

Mr Phillippo applied for costs. His Lordship said costs would be dealt with according to law. Mr Phillippo would get costs of the plea of justification, but he did not think that would amount to much:

Mr Brandt applied for costs. His Lordshi, -I think you are entitled to recover the general costs of the prosecution. The ordinary consequences will

The jury was then discharged

FUNNY, isn't it, that no marriage ceremony is a success unless there is a hitch in it somewhere ?- Life.

Quotations.

Hongkong, December 20.	j
PIUM- New Pates, cash, 5174	
OIL PART 1	
,, New Benaros, cash, 515	4
Old , cash, —	
Yow Malwa, cash, 530	4.
Allowance, Taels 48	٠
, Old Malwa, cash, 540	•
Allowance, Taels 40 a 48	ì
, Persian, Oily, cash 500/520	1
Allowance, Taels 16 a 48	9
Persian, Paper tiest 520/540	j
Allowance, Tanis 16 a 48	
Exchange. Hoxgkonu, December 20.	
On Landon—	1
Bank, Wire, 3/26	
On demand, 3/2}	1
, 80 days' alght, 3/2	4
4 months sight, 3/24	
Oredita,4	•
Documentary, 4 months' sight, 3,3%	
On demand, 4 02	
Oredita, 4 months' sight, 410	
On Germany—	
On demand, 8.22	7
A 1	

On New York-

ON TICH TOU	4	W - 11 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
On demand		78
	days' sight,	bol
Orbura, vo	gela signet	792
On Bombay-		
Wire,	*** *** ***	227
On demand		2271
On Calcutta-		
Wire,		227 A
On demand		2271
In Shanghai-		444 444 4
On domand		
On domand		A modern to the
an grape, sin	(ht, private,	74
ofq Pest, 10	O hno	332.30
UASLER DE	405 Dec 700	#6.19
The Barry	The	
	Temperati	47.6 -31, 3.7-3.7-4.
Taken at Me	ers Falconer	de Co.'s Premise
2 2 14 15	Queen's Roa	
D		
BAROMETER-	A 4 7	··· 50.27
Da,	1 P.M	FO.16
Da,	4 P.M	30.15
THE RYOMETS	E9 A.M.,	63
	1 P.M	
Do.	4 P. W. (1)	64
	Wet bulb) 8	
D		
Do.	Do. 1 1	
Do.	Do. 4 P	. м. 8
Do. N	a Zizouro	64

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. AT 4 P.M. TO-DAY. Barometer . . . 30.20

Damp Bulb . . . 55 Direction of Wind . RE Porce 1 Weather Rain-fall Hougkon, Observators, Dec. 2), 1880.

Do. Minimum over night 62

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ UO-OPERATIVE Co., LD. OF HONGKONG)

Incorporated under the Companies' Ordinances of Hongkong. The liability of Shareholders to be limited to the amount of their

CAPITAL: 8400,000, divided into 20,000 Shares

of \$20 each. 85 payable on application; 85 on allotment and the balance at call on 3 months notice being given. No call will be made for at least 6 months. 5,000 | 5 of 1866. Shares are reserved for the Vendors and their friends, and the balance (15,000) is offered to the public for aubscription.

Applications for shares, accompanied by a deposit of \$5 per share, must be sent in to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in Hongkong, Shanghai, and Coast Ports on or before the 30th day of December, 1889.

DIRECTORS: The Directors will (subject to the provisions of the Articles of Association) be nominated at the Statutory Meeting of Shareholders to be held in January, 1890.

PROVISIONAL BOARD. R. CHATTERTON WILCOX, Fsq. W. W. CLIFFORD, Esq. ALFRED E. SKEELS, Esq.

SOLICITORS: Meesrs SHARP, JOHNSON & STOKES.

BANKERS HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

GENERAL MANAGER: (pro. tem.) A. E. SKEELS, Esq. SECRETARY.

(pro. tem.) M. H. MICHAEL, Esq. OFFICES:

Hongkong, 37 & 39, Queen's Road. LONDON, 5, ST. BENET PLACE, E.C.

THE Hongkong Branch of THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE Co., LD. has been formed into a separate Company with the above title. This business was acquired in August, 1888, as a going concorn, by THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE CO., Lp., (the present Vendors) and has since then, under able management, progressed so satisfactorily in increasing its sales and extending the scope of its several departments, that the Vendors, although confident that further development will result in an increasingly profitable trade, find that they are unable to supply the required capital, as their Articles of Association do not permit them to borrow by way of mortgage, nor can they increase their Capital for the purposes of business in Hong-

Vendors have therefore agreed to sell to the Hongkong Trading Company, Limited, the Hongkong business, in consideration of the sum of \$20,000 for the goodwill and certain advantages with regard to special agencies for the Vendors.

Home buying, &c. The Stock-in-trade, Fixtures, Household Furniture, etc. will be taken over by the Company at cost valuation (as per stock books) on December 31st, 1889, and the Book Debts (after writing off all known bad debts) will he also taken over, less a

deduction of 5 per cent. Satisfactory arrangements have been made for a much-needed enlargement and improvement of the present premises, and the refusal of a lease for 3 or 5 years at the Company's option has been secured.

The following are the principal departments, as at present carried on, viz. :-Household & Gen ral Stores, Wines & Spirits.

Empire Brewery Products Hafl & Holtz Co.'s Steam | Solo Agency Furniture Factory Gentlemen's Outfitting & Tailoring. Drapery, Millinery & Dressmaking. Ladies' & Children's Outfitting, & Fancy

Furnishing, General Upholstery, House Painting and Decorating. It is proposed to add a Furniture Factory, and such other branches of trade as from time to time may be considered advisable. The Vendors will bear the whole cost of the preliminary and other expenses attending the formation of the Company, up to the date of allotment.

Applications for Shares (accompanied by a deposit of \$5 per share) must be made on a printed form, and forwarded to the Company's Bankers; should no allotment be made the deposit will be returned in full, and in case the number of shares allotted is less than that applied for, the surplus deposit will be appropriated . towards the sum due on allotment.

Application Forms can be obtained at the offices of the Company's Bankers in Hongkong, Shanghai, and Coast Ports. The list will be closed in all these places on the 30th December, 1889.

Hongkong, December 17, 1889. JUST PUBLISHED-Price, 50 Cents.

NATISSION ETRANGERES: WI History of the Churches of India, Burmah Siam, China, Japan,

TRANSLATED BY E. H. PARKER, Esq., H.B.M.'s Consular Service.

To be had of Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.; Mesars. KELLY & WAISH (LD.); and | 31 .- Gibb, Livingston & Co. Mr. W. BREWER; and at the China Mail 32. - Hongkong Hotel, Public Telephone.

Hongkong, November 6, 1889. TONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM. WAYS COMPANY, LTD. TIME TABLE.

(To take effect from 1st November.) WEEK DAYS.

8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour, 12 " 2 p.m. " half hour. (TIFFIN CAR at 12.45). 3 to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour. THURSDAYS.

NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 and 11 p.m. SATURDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 8.45 p.m., 9 p.m., 10.50 p.m. and 11 p.m.

SUNDAYS.

10.40 a.m. 12 (noon) to 2 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 3 to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour. Special CARS may be obtained on appli- 60. - Dakin Bros. of China, Ld. cation to the SUPERINTENDENT. Single Tickets are sold in the Carst Five-Cent Coupons and REDUCED Tickets at the

MADEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, October 30, 1889,

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS.

ATOTICE is hereby given that an EX-TRAORDINARY MEETING will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 16th day of January, 1890, at Twelve o'Clock Noon, when, in accordance with the Requirements of Arti-Corporation, the Shareholders will be requested to authorize the Directors to accept an Ordinance passed by the Governor in Council of Hougkong amending the Hono-KONG and SHANGHAI BANK Ordinance No.

By Order of the Court of Directors, G. E. NOBLE.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, November 30, 1889.

NOTICE. DULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

2.—Suma less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No in any one year.

\$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corat 5 per cent, per annum interest.

their daily balances. with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any ontries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and byin-

ning of July. Correspondence as to the business of Hongkong and Chipa.

-Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositer or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Hook are necessary.

> Mongeong & Shangbai Banking CORPORATION. G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager,

Hongkong, January 1, 1859

LIMITED. THIS Company is Now prepared to

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY.

J. FOREMAN, . Secretary. 62, Queen's Rd. Central, Hongkong. Hongkong, December 3, 1889.

SITUATION.

N ENGLISHMAN of considerable Business experience desires a situation of trust, where a thorough knowledge of ERAL BUSINESS Would be a consideration. Hon. C. P. CHATER, First-class References.

For further Particulars and Terms, apply

THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS TO THE

1. - 'The Hongkong Telegraph.'

2. - Cantlie, Dr J.; Manson, Dr P.; Hartigan, Dr W. 3. - Cantlie, Dr J., Residence. 4.-Vernon, J. Y. V.

8 .- Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

9.—The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation.

12. - Daily Press. 13. - Russell & Co. 14.-E. E. & A. China Telegraph Co., Ld 15 .- Central Police Station.

16 .- Watson, A. S., & Co. 17. - Douglas Lapraik & Co.

22. - China Mail. 23. -Jordan, Dr G. P. 24 .- The Hongkong & China Gas Co., Ld. 25.-H.K. & Whampoa Duck, Aberdeen. 26. - Alice Memorial Hospital.

27. - Holliday, Wise & Co. 28. -Holliday, J. F. 29. -Peak Hotel.

33. - Hancock, W. St. John H., C.E.

2122 34. - Czuickshank, W., Victoria Dispensary. 35. - Brodie, W., Residence. 36. - Ah Yon & Co. 38. - Linstead & Davis.

39. - Foster, F. T. P. 40.—The Borneo Company, Limited. 41.-Adamson, Bell & Co. 42.-Dodwell, F.

45. - Bughes & Egra. 46. -Belilios & Co. 47.-Relilios, E. R., Kingsclere. 48.-Belilios, E. R., Peak.

50. - Imports & Exports Office. 51. - Morris & Ray. 52. - Layton, B., Residence. 63.-Judd, W. 54. - Webber, J. F. 55.-Hartigan, Dr W.

Hongkong, April 5, 1889.

56 .- Victoria Hotel, Public Telephone. 59 -Soy Shing. 61.—Stevens, Geo. R., & Co. 62.-Stevens, Geo. R., Residence.

their Lists accordingly. A. SANDFORD,

Intimations.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jawellers, Gold & Silversmiths. NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFICAN METEOROLOGICAL

VOIUTLANDEE'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPANIES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS.

NAUTICAL BOOKS. Christoffe & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARL. GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY

DIAMOND JEWELLERY. A Splendid Collection of the Latest Lormon PATTERNA, at very moderate prices. 742 HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. ATOTICE is hereby given that the Undermentioned BANK SHARE CERTI-

FICATES viz.: -No. B 2071, 3465/66, 4645/52; 50 Shares 21341/55, 14389/92 & 51692/712 50 Shares in the name of L. MENDEL.

No. B 2099, 3280/3289...10 " and 1406/10..... in the name of W. D. SPENUS. No. B,2269, 27018/27932......15 in the name of W. H. GASERLL .

together ONE HUNDRED SHARES, HAVE BEEN LOST, and should the same not be produced before the Thirty-first day of December next, NEW CERTIFICATES will be assure to the said L. MENDEL, W D. SPENCE and W. H. GASKELL respectively, and the aforesaid Certificates B 2071 poration on fixed deposit for 12 months B 2000, B 2134 and B 2260, will be thereafter treated by this Corporation as null and void.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE, Ohief Manager.

Hongkong, October 1, 1889. LOST. ..

THE Undernated 100 SHARES of the HONGKONG & BHANGHAI BANKING the Bank if marked the Hongkong Conformation, being the Property of the Savings' Bank Business is forwarded tree | Undersigned, having been LOST, the Pubby the various British Post Offices in lie are warned against negotiating same. Scrip No. Nos. of Shares.

50 Shares,) B2091 3465/6, 4645/52, L. MENDEL 21341/.5. 14389/92, 51692/712 10 Shares, B2099 3280/3289 W.D. SPENCE B2134 53909/23 67342/46 25 Shares, W. D. SPENCE 1406/10

15 Shares, 27918/27932 W. H. GASKELL 100 Shares. The TRANSFER of these SHARES has

been STOPPED at the BANK H. N. MODY. Hongkong, September 9, 18:9.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL 2,500,000 RESERVE FUND, 1,259,000 |

Board of Directors: Hon. J. J. KESWICK, CHAIRMAN. | Managing Directors. VICE-CHAIRMAN. E. A. SOLOMON, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, ESQ. G. B. NOBLE, Esq. LEE SING, Eso. POUN PONG, Esq.

Bankers : THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. A TONEY ADVANCED ON MORTGAGE.

on LAND or BUILDINGS; PROPERTIES PURCHASED AND SOLD.

and Commission Business relating to Land, &c., conducted. Full Particulars can be obtained at the

Company's OFFICES, No. 5, Queen's Road. A SHELTON HOOPER,

Secretary. Victoria Buildings. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889. DESTISTRY. FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

MODERATE FERS. MR. WONG TAI-FONG, Surgeon Dentist, (FORMERLY APPRENTICE AND LAT-TERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS,

A T the urgent request of his European A and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly oc. Labuk Planting Company, Limited. 5,000 8 eupied by Dr. Rooms, No. 2, DUDDELL STREET. CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families. Sole Address 2, DUDDELL STREET, (Next to the New Oriental Bank.) Hongkong, January 12, 1885.

WINDSOR HOUSE, HONGKONG, No. 8, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE. FAMILY HOTEL

This Establishment is situated in a most central position, opposite the Telegraph Office and two doors from the Chartered A. G. Gordon & Co., Limited Bank. It offers First CLASS ACCOMMODA. Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ... 1,200 3 TION to RESIDENTS and TRAVELLERS, has Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited 6,000 8 a Spacious Dixing Room, and a large Houstony Bakee. Scimpany, Lil. number of well FURNISHED BED ROOMS with all comforts. A Good Table kept. TABLE D'HOTE :-Breakfast, 8.30 a.m. Tiffin, 1 p.m.; Dinner, 7:20 p.m. BOARD by the Month, Day, or Single Meals, at reasonable rates.

CONTENENTAL LANGUAGES APOKEN. Mas. BOHM. Proprietria.

Hongkong, August 80, 1889,

Intimations.

CRICKET.

freshes the face and bands of all exposed to the hat sun and dust, and leater freekles sunbarn, ten, &c., and produces a beautiful and delicate complexion,

Ask Chemists for Rowlands' articles, of the Chemists for Rowlands' articles, of the Chemistry Conference of the Chemistry of **Example of the second of the**

No. 73, WYNDHAM STREET. TO OARD AND RESIDENCE, 68, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL COMFORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN.

Hongkong, July 15, 1889. NOTICE.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

ITHE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. NORTON & Co.

Gongkong, July 15, 1887. THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

1794 prepared to Accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, November 4, 1889.

FIRE INSURANCES.

STEAMBOATS.

REPINERIRA.

LAND AND BUILDING.

Hongkong Land Investment and

Agency Company, Limited

Kowloon Land and Building Com-

pany,

Gower. -- Captain. 2113 Baikie, - Chong Woo. Paid-Value.

50 8130 83,33 \$ - 25 273, buyers 1,000 8 200 \$150, nominal 200 € 50 Tin. 350 20 \$23 Union Insurance Society Co., Ld 10, 0 . 8 25 8103, ex div., buyers 2508 Yangtaze insurance Association, Ld. 8,000 £ 25, ati Tis. 90 China Fire impurance Co., Ld. 20, 900 2 20 887 Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld., 8, 000 \$ 2503 50 \$38ã Straita Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20, 000 8 20 316 1008 VIRE AND MARINE INSURANUES.

130.8 20 \$15, nom. 66 % prem. all all 6100, buyers all 20 all 842, buyers 10 all 15 % dis., buyers 513 30 nominal

al: \$231, buyers บั0 21. 100 8200 Tla. 20 Tla. 24 4 352, sales

Peak Building Company, Richmond Terrace Building Co..... Shanghai Land Company, West Point Building Co., Limited. 12,500 \$ TRAMWAYS. HK. High-Level framways Co., L. 1 1,20: \$ 50 \$200 % prem. Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., Ld. 4,500 3 844, cash Punjon & Sunghie Dua Sam man 6), this Mining Co. Selams Tin Mining Company, 1 115900 \$ 2,84, cash

Limited.... Société Française des Charbon-\$500 pages du Torkin PLANTING, ETC. China-Bornoo, Company, Limited Darvel Bay Trading Company, Ld., 4,00 East Borneo Planting Co., Limited 4.00 8 Songei Keyah Planting Co., Ld. H. G. Brown & Co., Limited all The Lamag Plenting Co., Limited ... 6,000 \$ 25 340 nom. HOTELS, ETC. Austin Arms Hotel and Building } 4,000 \$ Company, Limited. Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt

Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Limited 4 00: 8 Borneo Hotel and Stores Co., Ld. ... 1,000 \$ DISPENSABLES. A. S. Watson & Oo., Inmited..... 50,00 8 Cruickshank & Co., Limited...... 1,600 8 all par, buyers HK. and China Gas Co., Limite L. 6,10 313), sellers New Shares ongkong Electric Co., Limited 30,000 8 6 88, cash BRICK AND CEMENT.

Green Island Coment Co., Ld. 20,000 \$ Hongkong Brick & Cement Co., Ld. 4,000 8 25 \$17.50 \$18 60 al 68 J. nominal Hongkong Dairy Farm Co. 3,000 8 Ham kous Ica Company, Limited . 5,000 8 If ang R pe Mauntaging On, Li | 3,00 & 8105 Marinburk Furniture Co., Ld. 3,0 0 \$

LOANS. Amount. | Value. ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE TO SERVE Chinere Emperia, 1884 81,394,700.11 500 1384 - \$1,594,700.14 \$500 5 / prem. 1883 . Tls. 767,200 Tls. 250 7 ... 14 7 prem. DEBENTURES. Hongkong Hotel Mort. 3 400,000,00 \$500

To Let.

TO LET. TYOUSES Nos. 1 & 2, 'CAMERON VILLAS,' One Spacious FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE at ROCKYDA' GAP, The Peak. The OFFICE now occupied by the BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED NEW HOUSES on 'BALLLIOS TERRACE,'

Robinson Road ..

Apply to BELILIOS & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1889.

TO LET.

TOUSE No. 2, 'SMITH'S VILLAS,' ROOMED HOUSE, with Basement and Outhouse. Excellent view. ' Apply to

F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1889.

TO LET.

OND FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, and GROUND FLOOR of HOUSE No.

LAI HING & Co., No. 153, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, July 1, 1889.

TO LET (FURNISHED.) TOR Six or Seven Months from 1st Proxino, that desirable Winter Residence known as 'TERRA VERTE, 'on the UPPER

Grass Tennis Court. For Terms, apply to H. SHEPPARD. Hongkong, September 27, 1889. 187

RICHMOND ROAD. Water and Gas laid on.

TO LET. TOOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS.'

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hougkong, November 23, 1889.

Apply to

Not Responsible for Debts. Veither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for

any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-B. P. CHINKY, American ship, Capt. E. E. Humphreys .- Order. EMPREZA, Australian barque, Capt. Wm. A. H. Allan .- Siemssen & Co.

BRINDISI, GENOA, GREAT ADMIRAL, American ship, Captain James F. Rowell.—Melchers & Co. ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, NELLIE M. SLADE, American barquentine, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK Capt. Julis C. Teixeira. - Captain. SEA & BALTIC PORTS; Pollux, German steamer, Captain H. Hellmers. - Melchers & Co. LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, SAM MENDEL, British barque, Capt. D. BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS,

GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN Valkyrien, British barque, Captain J.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL GALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS Closing Quotations, N.B. - Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA.

> ON SUNDAY, the 22nd day of December, 1839, at 10 a.m., the Company's Steamship PREUSSEN, Capt. C. Poule, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this port as above, calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till 10 a.m., Cargo will be received on board until 1 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 10 a.m. on the 21st December. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and

Value of Packages are required.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, November 23, 1889.

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, TIA

OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YORQUAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO. THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF RIO DE JANERIO will be despatch-THURSDAY, the 9th January, 1890, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan

Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, viA Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demorara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted

trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco ... \$225.00 To San Francisco and return, available for 6 months To Liverpool ... 325.00 To London To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to land, France, and Germany by all trans-Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be

obtained on application. Pessengers by this Line have the option of proceeding overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacihe. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be

and Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until p.m. the day provious to sailing. Parce Packages will be received at the office unti 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Carge

allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance

does not apply to through fares from China

in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes. addressed to the Collector of Customs at Sa Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central.

destined to points beyond San Francisco

O. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, December 10, 1859,

Mails.

Notices to Consignees.

MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP SIKH, FROM GLASGOW

LIVERPOOL, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNRES of Cargo are heroby in-

formed that all Goods are being landed

at their risk into the Godowns of the Kow-

LOON WHARF & GODOWN Co. at Kowloon,

may be obtained.

4 p.m. To-DAY.

whence and/or from the Wharves delivery

Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-

presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 23rd Instant, or they will not be re-

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Chartered S.S. Moray,

Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby

informed that their Goods are being landed

at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-

KONO AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN

Co., La., at West Point, whonce delivery

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 25th Instant will be subject to rent.

Consignees are requested to present all

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Mails.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN

SUEZ, PORT SAID,

PORTS.

AND LUGGAGE.

General Managers.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, December 18, 1889.

may be obtained.

will not be recognized.

having arrived from the above Ports,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, December 17, 1889.

less notice to the contrary be given before

Instant will be subject to rent.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA. MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA:

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX. Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd

All Claims against the Steamer must be N WEDNESDAY, the 25th December, 1889, at Noon, the Company's CONGO, Commandant VAQUIEE, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marsoilles, and ac-

cepted in transit through Marsoilles for the principal places of Europe, Shipping Orders will be granted till INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION Cargo will be received on board until 4 1.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 24th December, 1889. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.

Contonts and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPRAUX.

Hongkong, December 12, 1889. Occidental & Oriental Steam-

Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 31st Instant, otherwise they PAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS Bills of Lading will be countersigned by TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship OCEANIO will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 28th December, at 1 p.m. Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the lay pravious to sailing. First-class Fores granted as follows :--To San Francisco 3225.00 To San Francisco and return, } available for 6 months ... } To Liverpool 325.00

obtained on application. Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding overland by the Southern

Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Paciic. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways, Passongers, who have paid full fare, reambarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be dlowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance

Journary's Offices, addressed to the Collegtor of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Parrage, apply to the Agency of the

Hongkong, November 23, 1889.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY, TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE

AND OTHER CONNECTING . THE British Steamship BATAVIA. 2,553 Tons Register, WILLIAMSON. Commander, will be despatched for VAN.

To be followed by the S.S. ABYSSINIA. Points, by the regular Steamers of the PACIFIC COAST STEAMBUIF COMPANY and

Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-

other Steamers.

tiantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows ;-To Vancouvor & Victoria, (Mex.) \$210.00 To Montreal, New York, &c. 290,00 To Liverpool ... 325.00 To London ... 332.00

Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C. Freight will be received on board until 1 p.m. on the 8th January. All Parcels must be cent to our Office and should be marked to address in full: and the same will be received by us until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

Printed and published by Ggo. MURRAY Bats, at the China Mail Office, No. " Wratham Street, Hongkong.

INSTRUMENTS.

clo 96 of the Decd of Settlement of the English Silver & Electro-Plured Ware, in groat variety. DIAMONDS

1. - The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their in B2134, 53909/23, 57342/46 25 premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 16

depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on 5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

SUPPLY BEST QUALITY PORTLAND CEMENT.

BOOK-KEEPING, CORRESPONDENCE, and GEN-

to "A. B C., China Mail Office, Hong-9th December, 1889.

HONGKONG TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

6. - The China & Japan Telephone Co., Ld. | Estates managed, and all kinds of Agency 7 .- Poesnecker, L.

10. - Chater & Vernon. 11 .- Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Queen's

18. - Butterfield & Swire. 2376 19. -P. & O. S. N. Co. 20 .- Hongkong & Whampon Dock Co., Ld. 21. - Cruickshank, W.

> 29a. - Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Craigisburn 30.-China Borneo Co., Ld., Steam Saw

43. Jordan, Dr G. P., Residence. 44. - Government Bouse.

49. - Carlowitz & Co.

Subscribers will oblige by correcting

ENTLEMEN' desirous of Playing in T the MATCH SCOTLAND P. THE WORLD, proposed for 26th, 27th and 28th DECEMBER NEXT, will kindly sign their Mount Keller, Peak. Gas laid on. Names on the Notices lying in the Hongkong Club and the Cricket Pavilion. Hongkong, November 14, 1889.

KALYDOR cools and re-

ODONTO whitens the teeth, pro-MACASSAR OIL preserves and betatifies the hair, and can be also had in a golden colour. Sires 3/0:7/-; 10/0.

Wholesale and Retail Agents for China: A. S. WATSON & Co., Shanghai, 1239

MODERATE TRRUS. MRS. KJELLER. Proprietress.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are

In the Event of Complaints being found

Insurances. QUBEN FIRE INSURANCE COM PANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are

SHARE LIST. -QUOTATIONS.—DECEMBER 20, 1889 dongkohy and Situaghai Bank Corp. 60, 0. 8 125 all \$191, % prom., buyers MARINE INSURANCES. Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld. ... 10,00 Chin : Traders' Insurance Co., Ld. ... 24, 00 | \$ Chines - lusurance Co., Limited 1, 5: 8 North-Chira haurance Co., Lt. 5,0 . £ Straits Insurance Co., Ld. 30,000 3

Singapore Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000 \$ H'kong & Whampon Dock Co., La. 12,500 \$ China and Manila S. S. Co., Lit.

Dunglas Steamship Co., Limited ... 20,000 \$ Hh. O. and M. Steamboat Ou., Ld 80, out \$ Indo-Ohina S. N. Company, Limit 60, 0-0 2 Steam Launch Company, Limited ... 2,000 \$ Ohina Sugar Company, Limite i 15, 9 R 8 Lucon Sugar Company, Limited ... 7, 00 3 HK. & Kow, Wieser & Godown Co. 20, 000 8

50,000 \$ 6,000 8

\$221, buyers 56 845, cash 8 10 nom. 40 808 nom. 10815 nom. 40 \$58 nom.

50 8 3 832 nom., ex div. ali \$22, cash

25 8 6 87

Interest. Quotation. % p. annum 3 % prem nominal.

Ship Company.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received

To London To other European points at proportion-ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be

loes not apply to through fores from China and Japan to Europe. Censular Invoices to accompany Cargo lestined to points beyond San Francisco. in the United States, should be sent to the

C. D. HARMAN.

Company, No. 50a, Queen's Road Central.

UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE. ed for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

COUVER, B.C., vid KOBE and YORO. HAMA, on THURSDAY, the 9th January, 1899, at Noon. England, France, and Germany by all on the 6th February, and S.S. PARTHIJ, on the 6th March. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast

To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, embarking at San Francisco for China or and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Justoms, to be obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo lestined to points in the United States. should be sent to the Company's Offices. ddressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District

> For information as to Passage or Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agento. Hongkong, December 17, 1889. 2382